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r's Claim Paid.

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an's Club Meeting. monthly business meeting a's club will be held on t 2:30 p. m. Dr. Sarah son will arrive from Chiand will lecture in the 7.45 Wednesday evening an Characteristics, or the Shakspeare a Study." A follow the lecture, to mbers and their invited admitted.

Club Party. master in chancery, will members of the Cosmog club Wednesday night ill. Mr. Finn is the presclub. It is to be a bai

Born. frs. Joseph Yaegel, East Feb. 3. a daughter. d Mrs. E. B. Maurer of i. 21, twin boys.

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OPENING THE BIDS.

The Number and Amount of Bond Bids a Surprise.

SEVEN HUNDRED MILLION WANTED.

Great Crowd Appear in the Treasury Department to See the Bids Opened-The Popular Loan

A Success.

119 329. For five per cent loan of February 1894, government realized 117.
323. For five per cent loan November 1894, it got 117.077. For four per cent loans of February 1895, the syndicate paid \$104.494. At 9 o'clock this morning the force of clerks in the loans and currency division began opening and scheduling the bids. None of those thus entry the first coing substitute was taken up but was laid over as it was gared were allowed to leave the room found the regulation divesting the second using the bids. None of those thus engaged were allowed to leave the room till time for receiving bids closed, to guarantee against premature information getting out. Bids were announced from schedule in the secretary's office, where a large number of bidders and representatives and members of the representatives and members of the press had gathered. The interest manifested far exceeded that which attended either of the bond sales, and as early as New York and elsewhere began to arrive at the treasury. Opening and scheduling bids were conducted under direction of Ass't Sec'y Curtis by a committee consisting of United States Treasurer Morgan, Comptroller Eckels and the chief of the divison of loans and cur-rency, Huntington. Bids came in rapidly all morning and at 11 o'clock the expectation of the treasury officials was that the loan would be largely over sub-scribed and bonds would bring a good

At 12:14 Comptroller Eckles an nounced that up to that time 3,707 bids bill without division. had been received, aggregating \$380,-232,500, ranging in price from par to 119 and a fraction, and that bids not yet opened would probably raise the number to 4,500, aggregating \$75,000,000

more.
The big syndicate bids were not received till this morning. It was impossible at 1 p. m. to give the exact amounts or prices, as the force of clerks were swamped with work tabulating the vast number of bids received before. The earlier bidders, except two from Phila-delphia for two million each, ranged in amount from fifty dollars to three hundred thousand. The treasury tabulated bide according to the price offered.

The United States Trust company's

The United States Trust company's bid for government bonds was for \$76,000,000 at 110.075 and an additional \$10,000,000 at lower figures. There were 34 bids aggregating \$988,300 at 110.2992; 154 bids aggregating \$3,360,450 at 110; 58 bids aggregating \$1,269,750 at 110.050. Jos. Pulitzer, proprietor of the New York World, bid for a million dollars' worth at 114. Various New York financial institutions bid for amounts ranging from two hundred thousand to four millions each.

amounts.

The total number of bids received for the new loan, leaving out those of doubtful authenticity, is 4,640. Aggregating \$558,269,850. Secretary Carlisle is \$558,269,850. Secretary Carlisle is greatly pleased at the conspicious suc-

be three or four days before the bids could be verified and classified and till that time he could give no definite information as to how low a bid will be over the remains at Rolston's morgue accepted. He had an impression, how this morning. ever, it would be necessary to accept some bids slightly lower than 111. As the last bids were being read a telegram was shown Secretary Carlisle to the effect that the new bonds are quoted on New York Stock exchange at 116. The Secretary said the great success of the issue would have a very beneficial effect and and he looked forward to a year of marked business improvement. J. P. Morgan expressed himself as mightly

pleased at the success of the loan. Pointer From a Financier. NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—A prominent financier says he has received reliable information from Washington to the effect that a number of bids below 111 will be accepted.

eral merchandise store of John D. Tur-ner, of Equality, twelve miles from here, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, \$15,000; insurance, \$6,500.

IN CONGRESS.

The Tariff Bill With Silver Rider Up Again-The Cuban Resolution.

The Senate. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 5 .- The indications are for a lively session. Quay's resolution to recomit the tariff bill with its silver rider with instructions was first in order after routine business. Quay was early at his desk and consulted with Teller on the proposed action. Hill, who interfered with Quay's plans yesterday, moved about marshaling the Dem-ocratic forces for further opposition.

The committee on foreign relations reported the Cuban belligerency resolution. The committee had agreed on a substitute for the original resolution on WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Secretary as belligerents. The substitute was in of the Treasury, to-day, opened the bids of the States four per cent, 30 years bonds, received under his call of January 6th. The actuary of the treasury calculates that the bidder, to realize three per cent interest on his investment should bid interest on his i

> Senator Quay resolution to re-com mit the free coinage substitute was taken up but was laid over as it was found the resolution directing the secretary of agriculture to execute law re-lating to seed distribution had prece-

It was agreed that the seed resolution should be considered till 2 o'clock. If disposed of before then Quay's resolu-tion will be taken up, if not, Quay's res-

olution will come up to-morrow.

Without action on the seed resolution, a resolution for distributing appropria-tion bills among various committees was taken up.

Delegate Catron, (N. M.,) introduced a Delegate Catron, (N. M.,) introduced a bill to prevent the proposed pugnistic festival from taking place near El Paso. The bill makes prize fighting a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment for not less than 5 years.

The District of Columbia appropriation bill, on which a fight has been made over the charitable appr priations it carried, was defeated.

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THE IOWA LEGISLATURE.

Bills and Resolutions and Petitions Pre-

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 4.-In the senate petitions asking legislation against insurance combinations, raising the age of consent, and defining and regulating the mutual beneficiary organizations, were presented. Bills were in troduced: By Waterman, regulating the appointment of city marshals. By Carpenter, appropriating \$5,000 annually for the state agricultural society. By Blanchard, requiring examination of mine foremen. By Hurst, providing pay for county soldiers' relief commission. Waterman's resolution on soldiers'

monument was referred to a committee of ten senators and fifteen representatives, with instructions to have the time set for hearing of report. Blanchard's resolution to throw out

code revision committee and appoint one man to revise code was laid on the table. Berry introduced a resolution prohibiting introduction in code of bills after February 20, and until April 1st be given

ASPHYXIATED BY GAS.

Thomas Clow, of Quincy, Ill., Found Dead at the Palmer House.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.-Thomas Clow, of greatly pleased at the conspicious success of the loan. He said it showed what the people of this country would do when appealed to. He thought the effect abroad would be very marked our favor.

Secretary Carlislessid it will probably be three or four days before the bids could be verified and classified and till of each and classified and till of each and the said on the intrinsic daylight and the suffering among the intrinsic daylight at the palmer house and in both and the suffering among the intrinsic daylight at the country to their homes until daylight at the palmer house and in both and the suffering among the intrinsic daylight at the country to their homes until daylight at the country to their homes until daylight at the country to the intri

A STOLEN ATTORNEY.

the Western Cattle Thieves Adopt Vigorou Methods to Escape Conviction.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Feb. 5,-Col. A. J. Fountain, prosecuting attorney for the district, one of the best known men in New Mexico, was kidnapped between Las Cruces and White Oaks by cattle thieves, and is supposed to be killed, to-gether with his little son who was with him. Fountain has been pushing the custlers vigorously. A large party is scouring the country for the rustlers.

McKinley Delegates Chosen. BRYAN, Tex., Feb. 5,-Brazos county McKinley Club Organized.

CARTHAGE, Mo., Feb. 5.—Last night a large number of Republicans of this city met at the Burlingame Opera house and organized an active McKin ey club, with membership of nearly 200. Capt. T. B. Tuttle was chosen president, A. B. Parkell and James Banks vice presidents, and A. W. St. John secretary. A committee on by laws was eelected, to report at the only for delegates to the St. Louis control of the communication, said: "I mean the sent of the communication of Republicans met in convention here to on by laws was eelected, to report at the next meeting. The protective policy, for which McKinley stands foremost as an American, was the guiding force for the gathering.

Stores Curned.

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A BLOODY DEED.

Entire Family.

Richard Klateka, of Lake View, Delib- And Arrangements Made to Investigate erately Chloroforms and then Mur-'ders His Household, Including His Father, Aged 81 Years.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Richard Klateke, of Lake View, a carpenter out of work who became despondent, some time last night murdered his entire family and then killed himself. Neighbors who went to the house this morning to tell Klateke that work had been found for him, discovered seven bodies cold in death on the floor of the little cottage in which they lived. The list of dead is as follows: Richard Klateke, aged 38; his wife, Kate; his father, John, aged 71, and his three daughters; Mina, Anna and Emma, aged 7, 8 and 9 years respectively. All had been shot in the head. The peculiar feature of the affair is that there is no appearance of a struggle on the part of any of the victims except the wife, whose hands were scratched and her clothing torn.

A peculiar odor in the room led to the supposition that Klateke first chloroformed the family then deliberating read. CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Richard Klateke, of

supposition that Klateke first chloroformed the family, then deliberately pro-ceeded to shoot them in the head one ceeded to shoot them in the head one after another, following with a bullet in his own head. Beside his body lay the revolver, and empty cartridge shells were scattered about the room; and on a chair lay a whetetone and two big knives, sharpened to a razor's edge. Klateke evidently intended to make sure in case his revolver failed.

FOR CULLOM.

A Springfield Meeting to Boom Him for President.

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 5 .- A meeting was held here last evening to boom the can-didacy of Senator Cullom for the presi-dency. It was in opposition to the meeting held last week during the love feast at which a boom was started for McKin-ley and resulted in some good Republi-cans going to the man from Ohio. The Republicans who had charge of the meeting to night had the satisfaction of knowing that they had the biggest crowd. Speeches were made by 14 or 15 different men and resolutions were adopted endorsing the Illinois man. A club was formed with the tollowing men for officers: President, Charles Ridgley; vice president, J. W. Jefferson; secretary, J. W. Grout; treasurer, Floyd K. Whittemore. A telegram was sent to Senator Cullom informing him of what hed here ulong and he saviled in a most had been done and he replied in a mes had been done and he replied in a mes-sage thanking the citizens of the capital for the friendly interest they had shown. Throughout the meeting the name of McKinley was politely but studiously ignored.

Murder and Attempted Lynching.

Lewistown, Ill., February 5.—At

Dunfermline, a small mining town ten
miles northwest of here, Monday night
Wilhiam Woodward, colored, shot and
instantly killed Lawis Robinson.

Robinson. instantly kulled Lewis Robinson, also colored. He then emptied four more bullets into the lifeless form at his feet. two nundred thousand to four millions each.

J. P. Morgan, Harvey Fisk & Son, and Deutscher banks of Berlin, as syndicate, bid for the entire one hundred millions at 110.6878. Up to 1.45, 4,640 bids were opened, aggregating \$634,259,850.

Comptroller Eckels announced a bid from a doctor in Michigan and one for sixteen million from some one in Texas. This is regarded as bogus and the total should be reduced by these amounts.

February 20, and until April 1st be given to code work. Set for consideration to morrow.

States Minister Terrell for the protection of American missionaries, is A crowd hastily gathered, and Woodward canton. As his tourse and ran west to St. Davids, and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the death. He was the oldest Justice in point of service in the state. He had held in early days, and a half west of Dunfermline. The news of the murder soon reached St. In the house a flood of petitions for and a half west of Dunfermline. The struction by fire of American missionaries, is A crowd hastily gathered, and Woodward canton. As his tourse and ran west to St. Davids, and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the destruction by fire of American build ward ran north toward Canton. As his tourse and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the destruction by fire of American missionaries, is A crowd hastily gathered, and Woodward sand to the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the destruction by fire of American division of American missionaries, is A crowd hastily gathered, and Woodward sand the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the destruction by fire of American missionaries, is and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the destruction by fire of American missionaries, is and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the Euckles and the payment of the Euckles and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government for the Euckles and the payment of indemnity by the Turkish government fo that Woodward escaped arrived in Can-ton and proceeded to search for the murderer. Failing to find him they waited for the night trains, and both passenger trains were searched by the infuriated followers. The mob did not

Presbyterian Million-Dellar Fund. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 5.- The Million Dollar Committee of the Presbyte-rian Church met here to day and re-ceived reports from all parts of the coun-try. Over one-fourth of the \$1,000,000 has been received and one-half the

Rev. Dr. McEwan and Robert Pitcairn, General Agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad, were appointed to secure the services of some of the ablest men of the church to arouse interest in

the large cities.

Gen. Beaver and Rev. Dr. Roberts form a special committee to look after churches not reporting. The committee expressed confidence of raising the whole amount before the General Assembly meets in May next.

Worrison's Flat Denial of a Story. WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 5.-Hon. W.

Heban Appointed Bishops Rome, Feb. 5.—Rev. Father Hoban has been appointed Bishop of Scranton, Pennsylvania.

HEIRS TO MILLIONS.

A Despondent Carpenter Kills His Meeting of the Annake Jans Claimants in Cleveland.

SEVEN BODIES FOUND COLD IN DEATH PERMANENT ORGANIZATION EFFECTED

the Validity of the Claim to the Vast Property Now Held by Trinity Church in New York City.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 5.—The Anneke

the heirs be advised to join the Anneke Jans International union. to select an attorney who will go to

New York and look up the title of the estate, and also give an opinion as to whether the heirs have sufficient grounds on which to contest the church's right to ownership of the property.

It was stated by the secretary of the

meeting that the heirs not only claim 192 acres and 75 square rods in the heart of New York city, valued at between \$700,000,000 and \$800,000.000, but also \$80,000,000 worth of land in Hol-It was also stated that the claimants

to this vast property, so far as discovered, number 1,310. These all claim to be descendants of Anneke Jans, the daughter of Wolfred Weler, a king of Anneke Jans came to America in the

Mayflower and purchased land in New York known as "King's Garden," now possessed by the Trinity church corportion. The claimants assert that Jans never lost title to the property. The corporation claims that the title was given them by Queen Anna of England. Another meeting of the heirs will be held to-day.

THERE IS NO STRAIN In the Relations Between Turkey and the United States.

London, Feb. 5.—The correspondent of the United Press in Constantinople

"The reported existence of a strain between the United States and Turkey persistent measures adopted by United States Minister Terrell for the protecby the Powers nor has anybody as yet been punished for the outrage

"The United States cruiser San Francisco is at Mersina, Asia Minor, in the Mediterranean. Letters de

war vessels are gathering at Alexan

DENVER POLICE BOARD MUDDLE. Further Complications Arise...The Whole Matter to be Threshed Over by the Courts.

DENVER, Feb. 5.-The fire and police board of Denver is still incomplete. After hours of deliberation, Monday night, Gov. McIntyre sent a second request to President Church to resign and at two o'clock yesterday morning that officer capitulated. Intyre then notified Police Magistrate Webber to resign after court to-day and take charge of police board matters; but during the day the governor dis-covered that under the charter the governor cannot fill the vacancy in the police magistrates office, but this missioner, speaking of the report that the Blinois Democratic leaders word to the affect that the state of the second speaking of the report that the state of the second speaking speaking speaking of the second speaking spe must be done by the board of county for another candidate that will fill the requirements demanded by the people

anxious for reform. The resignation of George Goulding, chief of police, is in the hands of the board pending its reorganization. Chief of Detectives Farrington will fight the charges of dishonesty under which he was relieved from duty and the whole matter is to be threshed out in the courts.

MORE TELEGRAPH ON MORE TELEGRAPH ON was dedicated on Sunday with appropriate exercises. It is one of the leading houses of worship in the lower por-SIXTH PAGES.

SKELETON AT THE WINDOW.

Old Whittaker House in Mount Pulaski Ill., Said to be Haunted.

Whittaker residence, at the edge of the city near the cemetery, is inhabited by city near the cemetery, is inhabited by spooks. At least the superstitious people of the town say so and claim to have seen the ghostly visitors. Friday night strange noises were heard issuing from the building, and Saturday night, while a crowd was awaiting any further developments that might take place, a wierd light was displayed and a grinning skeleton flitted by one of the windows. The bouse was built forty grinning skeleton fitted by one of the windows. The house was built forty years ago and the eccentric builder had it painted red, white and blue without, and decorated with the same patriotic colors within. He was murdered many years ago. The superstitions believe it is his skeleton that was seen, while others are of the epinion that practical lokers are having a little fun. LATER.

The skeleton has been captured. It was fashioned by a leading werchant, a manufacturer and a bookkeeper. These three practical jokers took their ghost, which consisted of a large piece of canvas with a black background, with a white skeleton painted upon it, which, with several clubs and a dark lantern, had created the excityment at the Whitaker house, to Gordon's livery stable, and, placing the canvas close to the hearse with the electric light shining directly on it, retired to the office of the stable to swait developments. Presently their colored victim ments. Presently their colored victim had occasion to enter the carriage house A subcommittee of 13 was appointed but he did not stay long, and the excitement caused by his fright led the manager to confess.

AN EX-BANK PRESIDENT

Arrested on a Charge of Embesslement-Countercharges by the Prisoner's Friends.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 5.—B. D. Mills, of Lincoln, president of the defunct State Bank of Republican City, l. 18 been arrested at the instance of E. .. Whiting, ex-treasurer of Harlan county, who charges him with embezzlement. The complaint is the outgrowth of an alleged shortage on the part of the treasurer which, from figures at the state house, indicate that the amount is not far from \$40,000. The bank was the county depository. Friends of Mills claim that the charge against him cannot hold and that the fault lies with Whiting.

RESISTS REMOVAL

And Files Countercharges of a Sense tional Character. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 5.-Last Friday Adjt. Martin Howe, of the Soldiers and Sailors home at Grand Island, was summarily dismissed by Commandant Wilson. Howe resisted removal and yesterday held a long conference with Gov. Holcomb and filed charges of mismanagement of the institution. These charges, while not made public, are said to be highly sensational. If the governor does not see fit to take action, Howe is prepared to make public

disclosures of a scandalous nature af-

fecting the home. Oldest Illinois Justice of the Peace. Canton, Ill., February 4.—Parley C. Stearns, aged 81 years, died here yesterday. He had resided here since 1836,

Cut His Throat.

Louisville, Itl., Feb. 5.-R. L. Fitzpatrick, an eccentric shoemaker of this city, attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor yester-day morning. Dr. Boyles was called and after dressing his would, which was about two inches long, a guard was placed over him to prevent any further injury to himself. The cause of the attempt is supposed to be despondency, caused by old age and sickness.

Crushed Under Ton of Coal.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Feb. 5.-Joseph Cregie, a miner, aged 40 years, was instantly killed and his laborer, John Gable, aged 25, was fatally injured yesterday by a fall of coal in the West End mine of Mocanaque. They were tamping a hole in the face of a breast in the mine when the coal gave way, tons of it falling upon them

Died of His Injuries. TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 5.-T. J. Kellam president of the Merchants' national bank, died at his home yesterday morning from injuries sustained in the railroad wreck at Cripple Creek a week ago. He was the head of the Kellam Book and Stationary Co.

Keeley Institute Burned. RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 5.-The Keeley institute at Ashland, 14 miles from here, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. There were no casualties.

The Treasury Gold Reserve. Washington, Feb. 5.—At the close of business yesterday the treasury gold reserve stood at \$47,135,148. The withdrawals for the day were \$6(3,200.

WORCESTER, Mass., Feb. 5.—The Congregational church at Auburn Common, erected in 1775; was burned to the ground yesterday noon.

THE Zion Lutheran church at Peoria tion or the city.

A VIVID RED LIGHT

Mount Pulaski, Feb. 5.—The old Seen at Sea by the Crew of the Look Etive,

ACCOMPANIED BY A HEAVY EXPLOSION,

Accounts for the Non-Arrival at Rouse France, of the British Tank Ship Wildflower, Laden with American Petroleum.

New York, Feb. 5.—Capt. Anderson. of the tank steamer Phospher, which got into port yesterday after a twenty-day trip from Shields, told a story that probably accounts for the non-arrival in England of the British tank Wild-flower, which left Philadelphia for Rouen, France, on December 11 last, and has never been heard of since. The vessel had 1,300,000 gallons of petroleum on board.

Capt. Anderson save that just before he sailed from Shields on January 15 he heard a story that convinced him that the Wildflower had made her last voyage. It was this:

"The steamship Loch Etive, from New York, December 24, for Cork, reported on her arrivel there January 8, that about 250 miles west southwest from the coast of Ireland on January 6, the crew saw a sudden giare in the sky. As far as the eye could see to the westward the sky was a vivid red for a moment, and then it died out slowly until. in half an hour, the sea was again in darkness. A few seconds after the first glare a dull roar, like the discharge of a heavy gun, made the Loch Etive vibrate and rock."

When Capt. Anderson found that the Wildflower had not yet made port he became convinced that the flare-up was the explosion of the oil in the Wildflower's tanks. There were 29 men on the missing vessel, and she was in command of Capt Stanwell.

A BOLD ROBBERY,

A Hot Pursuit and a Quick Capture—The Stolen Money Recovered.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 5.-C. F. Pauly, cashier of the Standard Oil Co., was held up on Harrison street, be tween Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, at 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning and robbed of \$543 which he

was taking to the bank. Mr. Pauly left the office of the Standard Oil Co., at Twentieth and Har rison streets, to make a deposit in the Metropolitan national bank. He had to walk east to take a Troost-avenue car. About midway between Harrison street and Troost avenue he met s young man who, on seeing the large bag of money in Pauly's hand, made a grab for it. Mr. Pau y jumped aside, and the young man failed to reach tne

money.

Drawing a 38-caliber revolver the young man raised the weapon to Mr Pauley's face with the remark:

"Drop that money."

Mr. Pauly did so. Grabbing it up,
the bold highwayman started west to Harrison street on which he turned south. Mr. Pauly started in pursuit shouting "Thief" at the top of his

A crowd of men and boys joined in the chase, and finally, after he had run about one hundred yards, Officer Ryan came up with and caught and disarmedthe robber. After a short search the

At the Grand-avenue police station the highwayman gave the name of John Searcy. He said he live at 511 West Twenty-third street with his brother Edward Searcy. He is about 22 years of age.

AROUND THE WORLD. Arrival of the Italian Cruiser at Sas

Francisco. SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.-The Italian cruiser Cristofore Colombo, with King Humbert's nephew, the duke of Degli Abruzzi, on board, arrived in port yes terday afternoon. The cruiser left Italy five months ago on a voyage around the world, and has visited India, China, Philippine Islands, Australia. Tahiti. Honolulu and Esquimault. She will remain here until about the ist of March, then proceed to ports on the lower coast, stopping at San Diego and some of the Mexican ports. Then the voyage will be continued to Chili, thence through the Strait of Magellan to Montevideo, Rio de Janeiro and possibly to New York.

ST. JOHN'S MILITARY ACADEMY Closed on Account of an Outbreak or Smallpox.

MILWAUKER, Feb. 5.-St. John's Military academy at Delafield, about twen-ty-five miles from this city closed yes terday, owing to smallpox. A few days ago one of the cadets was taken ill and removed to his home at Mukwanago. The next day word was re ceived that he was down with the smallpox. The health officers in this tity were immediately notified, and instructed the health officer at Hartford to look into the case, with the result that the order to close the school was issued yesterday. The academy is one of the largest military schools in the west and has about 200 cadeta in regular attendance, coming from all parts of the country.

WELCH & ROSENCHANS' new elevator at at Farmer City is completed and is now receiving grain.

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MOON'8 PHASES.

Last (usster, 5th; new moon, 13th; first quar-ter, 21st, fell moon, 35th.

ECLIPSES.

Annular eclipse of the sun, 13th; invisible in forth America. Partial eclipse of the moon, ith, invisible in North America.

Defeating McKinley.

Precisely the same conditions which confrosted Blaine in 1876 confront Mcthe unit rule was in force. Under that to very positive activity. rule any state convention could, by a majority vote, instruct its entire delegation to a national convention to vote for a certain candidate, and a delegation so instructed was expected to obey such instructions as a matter of honor. In case a state convention did not instruct its delogates, the majority of the delegation had the power to cast the entire vote of the delegation for the candidate the majority favored. Despite the fact that it had no right to do so, the National convention abolished the rule and gave the delegates from each congres sional district the right to vote as they chose, regardless of the instructions of state conventions. This was subse quently adopted by the National coin-

mittee, and has since been the policy of the party. But Blaine was defeated in 1876 by springing a multitude of candidates to prevent states where the sentiment was in favor of Blaine from going to him The same plan is now being adopted to defeat McKinley. In addition to this it delegations may at a proper time be voted solidly for a candidate in order to give the state power and influence with the person their vote may nominate. This plan is urged by the same class of revive the old unit rule by indirection. revive the old unit rule by indirection.

It amounts to worse than that. It looks, first, toward depriving the people of the congressional districts of their right to express their choice of candidates just sion. as was the case under the old rule. In

the second place it means the formation came to the convention instructed. claimed for it The perniciousness of such combinations was well illustrated in combination made in the

recent organization of congress In that case the states in the combination get all the positions, and the states that were not in the combination. though just as good Republicans and just as much entitled to fair treatment, get nothing. This sort of business won't do in the Republican party. It had better not be applied to the nominatior of a President when the people have a choice or it will not be long until we will not have a party big enough and united enough to elect a President. It is better politics, it is City, Iowa. infinitely more wise, to allow the people to say who their candidates shall be, for it is from them, and not political schemers, the votes must come that elect the nominees.

Harrison's Withdrawai.

Ex-President Harrison has acted wisely in giving notice that he will not permit his name to go before the St. Louis convention. There is nothing of the "l am not a candidate rot" about it It is said just like him and leaves no room for cavil. What a splendid secre tary of state he would make, and many Republicans will hope that whoever is nominated and is elected president will see his way clear to call the expresident to that portfolio. If this were done how secure the country would feel provided he would accept. There is no reason why he should accept the position were it tendered him in the proper spirit. He has been president and all will concede he gave the country a magnificent administration. There is no more glory in it for him. But at the present june ture in our foreign affairs, the way is open for such a secretary of state as he would be to make a great record for at Rantoul will be sold at public sale on open for such a secretary of state as he himself by rendering his country great February 11.

service. His withdrawal from mention as a candidate for president will have but little effect on other candidates. Some of them have no following and will not have. They only serve as obstacles in the way of men whose hearts are with e her candidates and who they hope will be successful. These candidates will not be helped by Harrison's refusal to permit the use of his name. The only candidates who will be helped are those who are popular with the people and they will each profit by it in proportion to their popular following.

Many people were much surprised as to what Congressman Lorrimer would do with the enthusiasm he has had on tap for Harrison's renomination after Harison's withdrawal. He relieves the people, however, by his own declaration. He says: "You can put it down that Harrison is not out of the race, and his name will be presented to the convention." This is the same Lorrimer who, four, years ago, was instructed by the state convention to vote for Harrison at Minneapolis and bolted his instructions, and of course everybody must admit that Lorrimer must be for Harrison now. In the same interview the fair-haired congressman said Harrison's withdrawal will help Cullom, so it will be seen his honesty of purpose and his logic do not

THE course of the free silver people in the senate in forcing a free silver rider on the tariff bill, after they have just assed a free silver rider to the hond bill through the senate, is simply revolutionary and ought to operate to stimu-Kinley now with this exception: In 1876 late the opposition to free silver coinage

> THE sentiment for McKinly in this country is greater than that which obtained any man since the days of Lincoln. Nearly everybody not onlyfavors the nomination of McKinley, but the opposition to him in some quarters has made them actively and aggressively in earnest for him.

HARRISON is still a candidate for the hand of Mrs. Dimmick. His success in that direction seems assured.

THE indications now are that the ef fect of the "favorite son plan" will be anything but pleasant for the "favorite

IF ex President Harrison's following consisted of such staunch and conscientious friends as Billy Lorrimer it is little wonder he quit.

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Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price. men who broke down the unit rule to defeat Grant in 1880. It is an effort to Testimonials free.

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N. Bullet, of Conapolatic, N. 1.

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J. Wilson, who has been farming near

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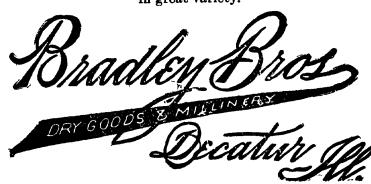
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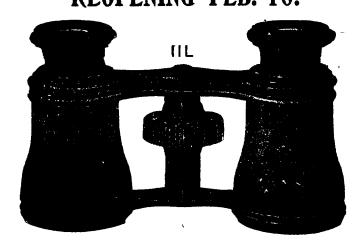
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Spence, Harry
Sleverson, Perry
Walk, Charle
Wilson, Charles A
Zeigler, Peter
Address' List. LADIES' LIST.

Baldwin, E Bond, Elia Ione Davis, Anna M Geetons, Jane Jacobs, Etta LaVigne, Bertha Light, B May. Goldy

Mitcheil, C P
Patterson, Mrs J
Poe. Bettie
Press, E E
Preston, Zell
Sherwood, Fannle
Stevens, Mabel
White, Maud
RMs. Bassett & Co.

Miss Ewing is Regent.

These are the officers of the Decatur Chapter of the Daughters of the Ameri-

can Revolution which was formed last evening at the Ewing home:

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The Petition of the roads of the roads of the state for discrimination in freight rates, was continued by mutual agreement with hopes of an amicable adjustment being effected.

Cannot Find Kelley.

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Marshal Mason last evening received a telegram from Mayor Satterlee, Arian, Mo., stating that Ed. Kelley had been killed by the cars at that town. The telegram suggested that Ed's father is a 322—C. C. Morris, residence.

BANKER VENNUM, of Fisher, has traded

Are you Bilious, Constipated, or troubled with Jaundice. Sick Headache, Bad Taste in Mouth, Foul Breath, Coated Tongue, Dyrpepaia, Indigestion, Hot Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Hirch will take place Thursday morn-Dry Skin, Pain in Back and between the Shoulders, Chills and Fever, &c? If ing at 11 o'clock at the Union church. You have any of these syzaptoms, your Liver is out of order and your blood is slowly being poisoned, because your Liver does not act properly. Herbine will cure any disorder of the Liver. Stomach or Bowels. It has no equal as a Liver Medicine. Price 75 cents. Free trial bottles at J. W. Eichinger's and C. F. Shilling's.

Hirch will take place Thursday morning at 11 o'clock at the Union church. The services will be conducted by Rev. Hatfield and the burial will be at Green wood cometery.

Mission Band.

The College street chapel mission based will give an entertainment Friday night at the mission. C. L. Black will have his stereopticon there and show some views.

I BARN BCRNERS IN PRISON.I

George Bell and Will Cooney Brazenly Confess Their Guilt-They Want

The barn of Captain George S. Durfee

near the corner of Main and Cerro Gordo streets was damaged about \$60 by fire roof. Firemen did good work in stopping the progress of the flames. Later the J. W. Lehman barn at 424 East Orchard street took fire and some hay was consumed. The firemen arrived in time to prevent damage to the barn.

will Cooney, the two bad boys who have heretofore been arrested for barn burning and petty thievery, hung about the court house, and brazenly boasted that they had set fire to the Durfee barn. They expected to be arrested and the They expected to be arrested and the police took them in. They were locked up for the night. The father of the police took them in. They were locked up for the night. The father of the Bell boy visited his son. He went away kinds of cakes, pies, etc. dec26-dtf

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Bell boy visited his son. He went away with the boy. He had done all he could to keep him out of prison, but now he felt he could sower in the western part of the city is on more. The boys offer no excuse that if everybody could fully understand they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could they would know that he was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could the could the could the could the was innocent of murder. But as he had taken a life and must suffer for it he asked, that the could the USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. to the resort a section as the section of their former companion in depredations, Mont Vaughn.

RAHI RAHI RAHI

We! We! We! We Are Members of the D. W. C.

The members of the Decatur Wheelthe following officers to serve for the ensuing year:

President—Roy Kinsman.
Vice President—J. Frank Faries.
Secretary-Treasurer—Bert Weaver.
Captain—W. W. Curry.
First Lieutenant—F. Dietz.

Second Lieutenant—George Allen Color Bearer—Fred Clark. One of the first acts of the meeting was do adopt a club yell prepared by

Bert Weaver. The vell is as follows: "Rah! rah! rah! We! we! we! We are members of the D. W. C! Rab! Ray! Boom! Decatur!"

The repor of the retiring secretary USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Jake Latham, showed fifty four mem-No BETTER soft coal in this market bers in good standing, and the club is in M. F. Metz. Personally he can be found mittee appointed to investigate the matter of securing a new location recommended that the club remain in its New Phone, 435. Also leave orders present quarters for the next three with T. W. Cann, 628 North Main, or months and it was voted to do so. At

THE COMMON LAW DOCKET.

udge Vail Devotes an Hour in Arrang

ing for the Trial of Civil Cases.. In the circuit court this forenoon Judge Vail in the presence of a large representation of members of the bar shoot: turned to the common law docket and called all cases in order to ascertain when they could be tried, if at all, and to determine how much time would be required to try them.

The clerk was directed to set the docket so that the cases on the docket can be called in turn, beginning on Monday next. There are over 30 cases to be disposed of. Some may not go to trial, as they may be settled, but there are to be several hard-fought cases.

PEOPLE'S FOCKET.

John Tombs; assault to rape. Continued with Levi Buckingham; burgiary and petit larceny. Continued with alias.

Levi Athey; appeal. Default and forfeiture.
Julius J. Gronkowski; assault to kill. Contined with alias. William Weldon; forgery and uttering forged

notes. Stricken with leave and defendant dis

branch of the P., D. & E., asking that passenger trains be operated daily by ouely ill at his home in California. He that goad, in conformity with a recent spite of the fact that he is a handsome ruling of the Supreme court of this athletic, up to date young fellow, his lived for many years at Cerro Gordo. A delegation from the church in Cerro filed and will be heard later on. The most perfect and artistic we have ever filed and will be heard later on. commission intends issuing Supplement had in this country. When he done No. 3, to the general classifications, the royal robes of Isabella, the illusion which it is expected will be issued within becomes so perfect that the oldest thea-

Association against the roads of the company at the Grand Monday, Febru-

telegram suggested that Ed's father is a 240 acres of land in Ford county for 230 acres belonging to John Patterson. This in Decatur. The officers have failed to makes 400 acres owned by Mr. Venum find any man by the name of Kelley living in Decatur in the grocery trade, A Sound Liver makes a Well Man and to-day Mason wired Satterlee to

from the display stand at George W.

Powers' store. He is in jail, Scott says In one day last week 41 car loads of grain were taken out of Minier. his home is at Newark, N. J.

GILES HAD A VISION.

Words of the McAfee Murderer When He

J. L. Giles, the stranger who killed his benefactor, Lewis McAfee, is now on his way to the penitantiary where he will remain seventeen years on the verdict last evening. The hay in the loft was of the jury. As heretofore stated when destroyed and a hole was burned in the Giles was brought before Judge Herd. 21,642 Families in Chicago man to receive his sentence he confessed his crime.

Giles began tying knots in his hand-kerchief and proceeded with a long, rambling story. He claimed that he had a vision seventeen years ago and that he believed that the Lord had TWO BOYS ARRESTED.

Along about 8 o'clock George Bell and Will Cooney, the two bad boys who have heretofore been about a revolution of the social customs of this country. He insisted that the Mormon church have the many than t

and must suffer for it he asked, that owing to his weakened condition, the death penalty be imposed.

Another trace of Giles has been dis-covered since the trial has been com-

pleted. Two weeks before the murder he called at the home of Mrs. C. P. Van Dorran in Sangamon county where he asked for a cup of coffee. It was men club held their annual meeting last the donor that it was a "good thing" evening at their club house and selected that his request had been complied

The Eastern Star Home

The committee appointed to locate the Eastern Star Orphans' and Widows' home will meet next Tuesday at Peoria.

the following information regarding their new discovery that is creating such home will meet next Tuesday at Peoria. Hovey and Mrs. Mary Bradley, of Decatur; Mrs. May Chapman, of Vienna, Mrs. May Brown, of Chicago, and Mrs. George Harrison, of Chicago. The different cities who are competing for the home will submit propositions to the committee and the city offering the best inducements will be chosen as the location of the home. The Masenic lodges is of this city were quite anxious the home. of this city were quite anxious the home KIRK'S EOS (Elixir of Soap) able that Decatur will be selected. One of the requirements was that five acres of land be donated on which the building could be erected. That much land do the family washing better than it had been done before, with less labor for the purpose would be of two high price to be donated. One of the members of the board said yesterday that he under the best equipped laboratory in the bers of the board said yesterday that he under the best has been hending every effort for years nast. did not think that Decatur had any chance of getting the home.

announced for the Friday live pigeon

	YARDS. 32 J. Fahrnko 30 O. Johnson	YARDS
C. Powers	32 J. Fahrnko	pf 27
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E. Shultz	27 L. Foster	

The match is to be for ten live birds be announced later.

The members of Decatur Lodge No. 364, I. O. G. T., will give a "Indigo Social" on Thursday evening at their

Regent—Miss M. Belle Ewing.
Registerer—Mr.s Emma Warren.
Secretary—Miss Mubel Durfee.
Treasurer—Mrs. T. T. Roberts.
Managers—Mrs. I. N. Barnes, Mrs. V.
G. Hatch, Mrs. E. D. Bartholomew, Mrs.
R. Montgomery, Miss Polly Vail.

George Smith and Oit Turner; grand and Complaint.

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At the session of the Illinois Railroad and Warehouse Commission at Spring-like is:

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The members of Rescue and Faithful lodges will hold meetings Thursday evening. The topic of discussion for the and Warehouse Commission at Spring-like is:

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It has been said of Harlow that in tre-goers have been fooled. Mr. Har-The petition of the Illinois Millers' low will appear with Rice's big "1472"

328-C. C. Morris, residence.

68—Captain I. N. Martin, sr., residence 428—Pouchers & Sanders, bakery. 439-J. L. Bullock, residence. -J. A. Waggonly, residence 885-J. W. Kennedy, residence

The jury in the county court last

evening failed to find Minnie H. Carr nsane. Her mind is thought to be weak in one respect but generally she is

KIRK'S

NEW DISCOVERY

and Vicinity Now Test-

ing It. Aiready 47 Grateful Persons Report Favorably After Using the Free Samples Obtained at the Inter-Ocean Office.

Nothing Like It Ever Seen or Heard of in Chicago Before.

[Chicago Tribune,]

The free distribution of Kirk's Ecc Elixir of Scap) at the Inter Ocean office

tion.

The giving out of a free package to all those who were sufficiently interested to apply for it is of itself a guarantee to the public that the manufacturers have perfect faith and entire econfidence in the merits of their article. the merits of their article.

No fairer way can suggest itself to introduce a new article than to hand it out free, and say to everybody: "Try it; and if you find it just as we represent it to be, then go to your grocer and buy a package. If you do not find it just as the programment of your apprenanted your apprenanted to be coefficient. represented your experiment has cost you nothing." Last evening a reporter called on Kirk & Co. and in an interview obtained

The many purposes for which it was Eos was designed to be a perfect wash.

effort for years past.

It is believed that the public is fully

aware that when a piece of goods passes the crucial test of the chemist in The following handicaps have been the proparation emerges from the factory bearing the name and trade mark of James S. Kirk & Co. that it must be as near perfect as modern science can make it.
Among other advantages Eos has

over any washing powder on the world's market to day are: That a little Eos in the water makes it soft and velvety. Anyone putting their hands in water prepared with Eos will almost immediately exclaim: "My, this water feels like satin."

rections, will accomplish this.
We also guarantee that Eos will pre-Good Templar Notes.

The district lodge of Good Templars will be held at Sullivan February 18 and 19. The Faithful, Rescue and Decatur lodges will be largely represented by delegates.

The members of Decatur Lodge No.

We also guarantee that Eos will prevent flannels and woolens from shrinking a particle, and that if you wash your flannels in water in which Eos is used that they will come out of the wash soft, fleecy and white. For all scouring and cleaning purposes Eos occupies a pre-eminently first position.

Use Eos in doing your family wash-Use Eos to prevent the colors in your

The members of Rescue and Faithful printed cotton goods from running!

Use Eos to wash your dishes and for general kitchen work!

gos to clean your paint! Use Eos when you scrub your floor, and we rereat that your work will be done better than it has ever been done heretofore at half the labor and ex-

> Kirk's Eos is for sale BY ALL GROCERS.

Two Sizes, 5 and 10 cents. Try a package and you will never be without!it The Young People's Society of the English Lutheran church has elected

the following new officers: President-Elia Coble Fresident—Ella Coble.
Vice President—Alice Dillinger.
Secretary—Mrs. Jess Peter.
Treasurer—Osa Kellogg
Organist—Minnie Myers.

Bevival Services

A revival service will be held at the Church of God house of worship this (Wednesday) evening. All are welcome.

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WEDNESDAY, FÉB. 5, 1896

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, ill., Feb. 5, 1896
The Estrublican is indebted to B. Z. Taylor calor in grain, provisions and stocks, with corspondents in Chicago, New York, Minnespoils and St. Louis, for the following market quota-

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May	31%			
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TO-DAY'S B	ECRIPT	S-CAR	LOTS.	

Wheat—145. Estimated, 95, Year ago, 18. Cora—203 Estimated, 160; a year ago, 125. Oats- 160; Estimated, 150; a year ago, 105. ESTIMATES FOR YO-MORROW.

Wheat, 60; Corn. 140; oats. 110. Hog receipts 25,000; estimated 24,000. Market five cents lower. Light, \$4.00@\$4.30, mixed, \$3 \$5 74\$ 1.25; heavy, \$1.20 751 45; rough, \$3.95 76

Estimated for to-morrow, 25,000. Cattle receipts 13,500; market steady. Receipts at Minneapolis to-day were 348, and Duiuth got 93 cars of wheat, a total of 446.

DECATUR STOCK MARKET. The following are the ruling prices	paid	by
local dealers for stock: Cows and Heifers	.2 50@	3.00
Cows and monors	.3.50(g)	4.50
Hogs. Calves	.3.75@	8.80
Calvas	.8.500	4.00
Sheep	8,00	
Sheep Export Cattle	.4 036	4 00
		

NEW YORK STOCKS NEW YORK, Feb. 5.-Stocks opened activ

On foreign sales and pounding by bears a reaction soon set in. After 11 the market stiffened ne but was dull, waiting for result of opening

PEORIA QUOTATIONS.
PEORIA, Feb. 5. —Corn higher. No 2, 27/2. Oats steady No. 2, white, 20 Rye, easier, 2, 41c.

SI. LOUIS MARKET. Sr. Louis, Feb. 5.-Wheat, cash No. 2, hard, 66c; May, 68¹/₄c. Corn, cash, 26¹/₄, May, 27¹/₅. Oats cash 19¹/₅; May, 20⁷/₅.

NEW YORK MARKET. NRW YORK, Feb. 5.—Wheat, May 75½. Corn. May, 36½. Oats, May 25½.

HAD A MERRY TIME.

Carpet Bag Social and Dance Given by Bay Leaf Camp.

Last night Bay Leaf Camp, Royal Neighbors of America, gave a carpet rag social and a dance in the rooms in the Opera House block. Many members of the camp and their friends were present and the affair was a great success, netting considerable money to the treasury of the society. Each young lady of the camp sewed a pound of carpet rage, which she wound around a neck tie and brought to the social, wearing a similar tie. The ball of carpet rags was sold to a young man for fifteen cents, hunted up the young wo man who were the tie that matched the one found in the ball. This young wo man was his partner for the evening and he took her to supper. An excellent musical and literary program was given during the early part of the evening, and a dance closed the affair.

CONCERT and festival given by the Feb. 13, 1886. Admission 10 cents. Feb. 5, d1w

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cooper fliving west of the city, February 5, a son THE Rev. F. A. McCarthy is holding

ST. FRANCIS COULT.—A regular meeting of St. Francis Court No. 10, in Masonic Hail Thursday afternoon, February 6. All members are requested to be present. Business of im-portance. Visiting members invited. ELIZA-BETH EARNEST, M. A. M.



GENTLEMAN'S

\$5 Calf Razor Shoes, Any Width or Size,

.. FOR \$3.00 ..

Daily Republican LAST EDITION

4 O'CLOCK.

Weather To Night and Thursday. Weather To Night and Thursday.
CHICAGO, Feb. 5—Illinois: Threatening weather to-night. Thursday cooler south. To-night winds shifting easterly. Iowa: Generally cloudy to-night. Thursday colder, with southeast winds. Tonight northerly winds becoming variable.

Wisconsin: Threatening weather to-night; Thursday variable winds shifting

South Dakota and Nebraska: Partly cloudy to night, Thursday; rising tem-perature to night; Thursday southerly

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 5.—Jacob Mayers.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 5.—Jacob Mayers died yesterday, aged 89. He was a native of Mannhein, Pa., and had lived in Bloomington since 1854. In that year he established a woolen mill in this city, the first in this portion of the state. Later he embarked in flour milling, in which he was successfully engaged for a quarter of a century.

Beatrice Howard will sing "Ben Bolt," Miss Addie Ebert will give a vocal solo, and the Mandolin Club will render music. The entertainment vill begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock. Persons will be admitted by tickets which are secured from members of the club. After the lecture the reception will be given. The rooms have been tastefully decorated vallow the club color and

New York, Feb. 5.—The British steamer, Leamington, from Mediterranean ports with a cargo of fruit, is ashore east of Fire Island. The crew is of the division, and Mrs. George R. being landed in breeches buoys. vessel appears undamaged.

Brazes River Flood.

FORT WORTH, Tex., Feb. 5.—The Brazos river is still rising. The levee near Hempstead this morning broke. The crevasse is forty feet wide and is grow ing wider every hour. The entire valley will be inundated.

Bank Failure. CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 5—The Citizens' bank, owned by ex-United States Treasurer Huston, assigned this morning. A statement to the public says that the depositors will be paid in full in

Transvaal Official to Visit Berlia. CAPE Town, Feb. 5 .- It is stated that R visit of the secretary of state of the Transvaal to Berlin in connection with derman purchase of land on the coast of Delgoa Bay is about to be made.

No Bloodshed in Kentucky.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 5.—The joint session of the legislature at noon balloted for U. S. senator without result. There was much excitement, but no personal collisions occurred. Standard Oil Co. on Top.

London, Feb. 5.—It is announced that the Scotch Oil combine has dissolved, with heavy losses to investors. The Standard Oil company is again master of the situation.

MOUNT CARMEL, Ill., Feb. 5.—Dr. T. J. Rigg, one of the oldest physicians of this city, died last night of heart disease.

ADDITIONAL PERSONAL MENTION

C. A. Pollock was in Chicago yesterday

Stewart Spillman was in Illiopolis today on business.

burg, are in the city visiting friends.

Attorney C. C. Leforgee will go to Dalton City to morrow on legal business. Mr. Griffin, passenger agent for the Missouri Pacific road, was here yesterday on business.

Mrs. M. Roeder, of St. Louis, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Mattes and Mrs. Edward D. Mattes.

William Traver will leave to night for

Closed on Account of Smallpox. Yesterday Lindley Jones, son of Dr. Wis., where they have been attending toon. He has the dog with him. the St. John's Military academy. The ter from Sidney T. Smith, the president, school, in which they assure the parents that there is no danger of the disease spreading. Cadet Harden, one of the students, complained of good money to get her dog back. feeling ill and at the request of his parents war allowed to go home. When his illness developed into what was supposed by the physicians to be smallpox a semipanic was created among the students. for the coming year: The faculty decided that it would be best to declare a recess of two weeks.

but that they did not want to take any Sales of Real Estate.

They say that neither the school physicians or the board of health considered

that their was any danger of contagion,

Isaac M. Barnett to Joe Strope, all interest in 17 and 16, 17, 3 east—\$700.
C. E. Schroll to A. L. Clark, lots 12, 13 and 14, block 1, Syndicate addition-

81.00'. Rodney C. Hankins to Benton C. Haw-kins, all interest in lot 1, in 10, 16, 3 east—

David E. Brooks to May M. Kirby, 40 acres in 14, 17, 3 east—\$2,400.
A. T. Summers to C. E. Schroll, lot 3, block 3, Yates & King's addition—\$1. Fred C. Simpson to George S. Simpson, lot 26, block 3, Oakland Place—\$600.

Death of G. W. Gilbert. G. W. Gilbert died at 3 p. m. Tuesday. Feb. 4, at the home of his son-in-law, C. C. Lee, No. 364 East Marietta street. aged 78 years. The remains will be -Powers' Shoe Store. taken to Charleston, Ill., Thursday for burial.

who was slightly better this morning, became worse, falling into a stupor. It is not believed that he will rally, and there is little or no hope of his recovery. Judge Hammer has been with his son

DR. SARAH HACKETT STEVENSON. and Reception at the Woman' Club Rooms To-Night.

At the Woman's club this evening Dr. Sarah Hackett Stevenson will deliver a lecture, after which the club members will give a reception in her honor. The entertainment was arranged by the Shakespeare division of the club. Dr. Stevenson's subject will be "The Abnormal in Shakespeare," and it will doubtless Mahn Says It Means McKinley.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 5.—Wm. M. Hahn, secretary of the Republican National committee, says the declination of Harrison makes McKinley's nomination and election sure. Mr. Hahn favors an Ohio convention in March, to show the country that this state is a unit for McKinley, and favors Sherman, Foraker, Bushnell and Grosvenor for delegates at Harge.

mal in Shakespeare, "and it will doubtless be a very scholarly lecture, as the speaker is one of the best-informed women in the state. Dr. Stevenson is considered to be at the head of the women of the medical prefession, and moreover she is a person of authority on all literary subjects. Besides the lecture Huward will sing "Ben Bolt." Beatrice Howard will sing "Ben Bolt,"

decorated, yellow, the club color, and

of the division, and Mrs. George R. Bacon, the president of the club, will receive Mrs. Stevenson. Mrs. Bain Walston and Mrs. F. P. Wells will act as ushers. The doors opening into the adjoining building will be thrown open and supper will be served in the hall in the Vail building. The ladies who will preside in the supper room are Mrs. Sherman McClelland, Mrs. William Balser, Miss Bertha Roach, Mrs. E. A West and Miss Marie Buckingham. The souvenirs, bows of yellow and violet, will be in charge of Miss Lillian Corman. The entertainment will be one of the most important that the club members have given in some time.

FAILED TO PROSECUTE.

Sudden Termination of the Alleged Chicken Stealing Case From Boody.

Last September the grand jury found an indictment against Henry Miller, of Blue Mound township, on the charge of stealing 33 chickens from the pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Kiese, who it is alleged was the chief prosecuting witness in the case. Young Miller was court. He was held until his friends could procure bail, and ever since court opened he has been ready and anxious to go to trial. The case was called up this forenoon by State's Attorney Mills who, after consultation with Rev. Mr. Kiese and other witnesses for the people, returned to the court room and entered a nolle, the court ordering the accused and the bail discharged. Mr. Miller and his friends R.S. Bullard and wife, of Mechanics- are very much incensed against the preacher. Miller protests his innocence the case there are others who should be give his decision later. made to suffer.

JUST WANTS HER DOG.

A Missing Canine Located at Last Down in Coles County.

go by way of El Paso, Texas, stopping over for a short time at that place.

Malcomb Stough, disappeared from his home in Decatur and took with him a home in Decatur and took with him a valuable dog belonging to Mrs. George Brummell. Nothing was heard of Wal-H. C. Jones, and Charles May, son of ter until to day, when by letter he was Harry May, arrived home from Delafield, located at Laxy, a small town near Mat-

Mrs. Brummell called on Marshal Broadway Baptist church Thursday, school has been closed for a short time Mason this afternoon. She doesn't care on account of a case of smallpox among anything about the boy, but she wants the students. Dr. Jones received a let | her dog. She had raised him from a pup, and she is deeply attached to the and Dr. Nixon, the physician of the canine, considering it one of the family. She said: "I tell you I've never been so lonely in my life as since my dog was taken away." Mrs. Brummell will pay

Woodman Band Election Last night the Woodman band met at their new hall over Dr. Stoner's drug

store and elected the following officers President and Manager—H. H. Wilkin. Secretary—L G. Wheeler.

Treasurer—Dr. C. W. Brandom.
Trustees—H. H. Wilkin, L. G.
Wheeler, John E. Berno, G. W. Jones,
M. W. Williams. The band starts with 21 members in the new year under the direction of

Prof. C. P. Maxwell. The new members added last night are R. B. Evans, C. D. Walmsley, Hal Maxwell and Joe E. Rertio.

of Terre Haute, and is an accomplished trombone player.

This city council of Tuscola has let contracts for the paving of twelve blocks of the basiness portion of the city. One Minute Cough Cure touches the one minute Cough Cure touches the right spot. It also touches it at the right time if you take it when you have a cough or cold. See the point? Then don't cough. West's Drug Store.

THE Trumpet is the name of a paper that has been established by the schol are of the Danville high school.

In one day last week 41 car loads of

LINN& SCRUGGS DRY GOODS & CARPET COMPANY.

TEMPORARY STORE,

At Corner of William and Franklin Streets and North Park Street--Entrance on North Park and East William Streets.

be admitted by tickets which are secured from members of the club. After the lecture the reception will be given. The rooms have been testefully NEW SPRING GOODS.

Special Sale in Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Dress Goods, Linens, Hosiery, Underwear, Ladies' and Children's Muslin Underwear, Ladies' Wrappers, Carpets and Lace Curtains.

Opening Spring Sale of Flowers, Ribbons and Laces.

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COURT AFFAIRS.

Motion for New Trial in the Towne Cas Taken Under Advisement.

In the circuit court after 10 a. m. to day Attorney Leforgee argued a motion for a new trial in the case of W. F. for a new trial in the case of w. F.
Towne, convicted for a criminal assault paralytic stroke Saturday evening, and at this writing lies at the point of death. His age makes hearing State's Attorney Mills took the hearing State's Attorney Mills took the converted to the convert and claims that that the charge against hearing State's Attorney Mills took the him grow out of spite work. If such is matter under consideration and will

The court went through the criminal docket, continuing a number and certifying some to the county court. There was a nolle in the case against Henry Miller, and Carl Huber, for malicious Some time ago Walter Stough, son of mischief, defaulted his bond.

CHANCERY DOCKET Isaiah Stickel et al vs. James Stickel et al; assisted in the work of instituting the M. W. A. chancery. Decree pro confesso and referred to

The Saving Fund Building Association vs. Russell J. Waggy et at, foretlesure. pro confesso, and referred to master. COMMON LAW DOCKET. N. T. Watson vs. H. W. Bartholomew. appel

lant; appeal. Motion allowed for plaintiff to change form of suit by making new parties C. Feiker vs. Adam Scott et al; assumpsit

Rule to plead extended to fourth Thursday. ADJOURNED. Court adjourned until 8:30 to morrow

Marriage Licenses.

Quick in effect, heals and leaves no scar. Burning, scaly skin eruptions quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles. West's drug store.

BANKER VENNUM, of Fisher, has traded 240 acres of land in Ford county for 230 acres belonging to John Patterson. This makes 400 acres owned by Mr. Venum. near together.

"GIVER me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of De Witt's Lattle Early Risers, the famous little pills. West's Drug Store.

DR. WALTER BLAINE, of Champaign, has decided to locate at Murdock, the first town east of Camargo, in Douglas county, for the practice of his profes-A HIGH-LIVER with a torpid liver will

not be a long liver. Correct the liver with DeWitt's Little Early Risers. little pills that cure dyspepsia and constipa-tion. West's drug store.

THE Champaign county fair grounds at Rantoul will be sold at public sale on February 11.

Don't invite disappointment by ex-perimenting. Depend upon One Minute Couge Cure and you have immediate relief. It cures croup. The only harm-less remedy that produces immediate results. West's Drug Store.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

Those wishing for wet weather to kill chinch ugs are satisfied

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. McDonald, on Saturday, Feb. 1, a daughter Uncle Jimmy Jones, of Long Creek, received a

appearance to gladden the hearts of Papa and Mama G. W. McDonald and wife, of Long Creek. Mr. Willis Hermon and family, of Denatur, visited the family of Gao. E. Morris, of this place, this week. Mr. Hermon is Mrs. Morris' Quarterly meeting was held at Dalton Sunday.

Resides other business, Rev. C. C. Dillavou was appointed to fill the unexpired term of Rev. D.

camp at this place Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Patterson are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Trenholm, Mrs. Patterson's parents,

Our extreme modesty prevents us from entering into details regarding the new order rganized and instituted at this place last week. One of their proposed schemes; is, however, a ten story business block to be erected as soon as a suitable location can be secured. The plans of the building are entirely new. A.B. Chapman is in possession of the plans and specification

The new order is called "Socks." Deputy Kingsley and State Adviser Black in stituted a camp of the M. W. of A. at this place Friday night. There are twenty-two me to start with. The following officers were

Venerable Consul-George R. Morris. Adviser—W. A. Underwood. Banker—John A. Wilson. Clerk-J. E. Underwood. Escort-B. F. Jennings. Sentry—Henry Higar. Watchman—Chas. Lambert Physician-Dr. W. T, Patterson Managers—Dr. Paiterson, J. H. Wikoff an Jeorge Carmean. A DEBUQUEL WAS SETTED during the evening.

Mrs. Robert Taylor is threatened with a stroke
f paralysis.

Bearsdale.

Mrs. Wm. Shurm is very low. Mr. and Mrs. A. Weltmer and Mr. and Mrs. H. Park spent Sunday at W. P. Butts' Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Tilton, Wedne January 29, a daughter. Mrs. Westhafer seems to

Little Edith Brazee, of Decatur, is visiting

ncle, H. Pharis, this week. Mrs. E. Songer and daughter, Lillian, who have been visiting relatives at this place, reread to their home in Weldon Saturday. Miss Flora Lehman went to Decatur Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Lenman and Mrs. H. Pharis spent Thursday last at H. C. Ferrell's. Grandua Braden, who has been sick for about

Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattle Brown, of Peorla, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lehew, Saturday. Mr. L. Bible went to Decatur Friday last. Mr. Fred Harper made a business trip to Decatur Wednessay last.

Interment at Greenwood cometery, Decatus

THE Sanders hotel at Pleasant Plains, an old landmark, is to be torn down.

A Household Treasure.

D. W. Fuller, of Conajoharie, N. Y. says that he always keeps Dr. King's New Discovery in the house, and his family has always found the very best family has always found the very best results follow its use; that he would not be without it, if procurable. G. A. Dykeman, druggist, Catskill, N. Y., says that Dr. King's New Discovery is undoubtedly the best Cough remedy; that he has used it in his family for eight years, and it never failed to do all that it claimed for it. Why not try a remedy so long tried and tested? Trial bottles free at King & Metz's drug store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00

THE Tremont Sun says that good horses are very scarce about Tremont and that they bring good prices.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Bruses, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By

JACOB FAY, of Laomi, has bought 40 acres of land near Modesto, Macon county, at \$45 per acre, and will move to it in the spring.

THE body of Fred. Gressens, who was drowned in the Kankakee river at Kankakee several days ago, has not been re-



HOT WATER BOTTLES are among the most essential things in a sick room. They are oftener called for and relieve more pains than most any other appliances the drug line. I keep them in assorted sizes 2 quarts, 60c; 3 quarts, 80c; 4 quarts, \$1.

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ody of Fred. Gressens, who was in the Kankakee river at Kaneveral days ago, has not been re-

LSON, who has been farming near

City, has removed to Webster



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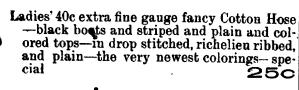
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TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-Mr. Cecil J. Rhodes, ex-premier of Cape Colony, arrived in London, yes--Frank X. Collinette, a St. Louis

paper carrier, killed himself because he had lost \$39. -The house will nonconcur in the senate free coinage substitute for the house bond bill.

-The Bagdad district school, west of Arcela, Ill., has been closed for an indefinite period on account of scarlet

fever epidemic in that locality. -The republicans of the Kentucky house will to-day attempt to unseat

Tompkins and Kauffman (dems.) and elect Dr. Hunter senator at once. -The jury in the Dickerson bank-wrecking trial at Council Bluffs, Ia.,

after deliberating 80 hours, reperted to the court that it could not agree and was discharged. -George M. Quimby, a liveryman, has caused the arrest of every livery-

man and hackman in Leavenworth Kan., charging that they have, by a combine, effected a trust. -Parley C. Stearns died in Canton,

Ill., Monday, aged 84 years. He was the oldest justice of the peace, in point of service, in Illinois, having served continuously for 52 years.

-It is announced in Belgrade that King Alexander of Servia, aged 19, has been bethrothed to Princess Helene third daughter of the prince of Monte negro, who is 23 years old.

-County Trustee W. W. Hayes, o Anderson county, Tenn., has been found to be over \$18,000 short in his accounts. His bondsmen are good for the amount of the shortage.

-Troops sent from Spain to die of yellow fever in Cuba can thank their stars that they are escaping the epi demic of influenza now prevailing in Spain, especially in Madrid.

-Two men were killed and a large amount of property damaged by an explosion of dynamite in Lawrence, Mass., yesterday. The report of the explosion was heard at Lowell.

-D. H. Goodyear, said to be the scion of an aristocratic family in Memphis, Tenn., committed suicide in St. Louis, Tuesday morning. His wife and two children are left destitute.

-The senate finance committee has ordered the house tariff bill to be reported so amended as to strike out all after the enacting clause and substi-tuting for it the free coinage of silver.

-The members of the eighty-third Illinois infantry celebrated the thirty third anniversary of the second battle of Fort Donelson at Monmouth Monday. Fifty of the veterans were pres

-John Swim, a miser, well known over the central western states, through which he had roamed as a tramp for the last half century, died at his farm near Alton, O., Monday, aged 104 years.

-King Prempeh, his mother and a number of prominent Ashantee pris oners, have been taken on board the British war ship Raccoon at Cape Coast Castle, to be sent to Elmina, a fortified town on the Gold coast.

-The funeral of Sir Joseph Barnby the celebrated English musical conductor and composer, took place from St. Paul's cathedral, London, yester-day. The body was interred in the cemetery at Norwood, Surrey.

-Rev. Job Pearson, D. D., one of the oldest and most eminent Presbyterian divines in Michigan, died at Stanton, Monday afternoon, of paralysis of the heart, aged 72. Dr. Pearson was born at Troy, N. Y., February 3,

-Sam Snyder, a destitute and hungry Butte (Mont.) prospector, trailed a deer over the hills, and accidentally discovered a fabulously rich gold ledge which he has been working in secret for nine weeks securing thousands of dollars' worth of gold.

—Mr. Edwin F. Uhl, now assistant

ecretary of state, has been tendered the post of ambassador to Germany to succeed the late Ambassador Runyon. Mr. Uhl has accepted the tender, and the nomination will go to the senat this week, possibly to-day.

-Jacob Martin, a co-worker with John Brown, 86 years of age, died sudenly, Monday, at a private asylum in Leavenworth, Kan. For 25 years he had been a charge on the county, all of which time he labored under the hallucination that he was a candidate for

-In an interview at Coruna, just after his arrival there yesterday, Gen. Martinez Campos, late captain-general GRAND OPERA HOUSE. of Cuba, declared it imperative that the trouble in Cuba be ended, either by force of arms or the granting of reforms, comprising even Cuban auton omy, if necessary.

-The steamer St. Paul of the American line, which went on the sands at Long Branch, at 1:55 a. m. Saturday, January 25, since which time many ineffectual attempts had been made to

-The Ecuadoran minister to Washington has received a cable dispatch from the secretary of state of Ecua-dor, stating that the Central American governments of Guatemala, Nicara-Electrical Features, 1492 Orchestra of gua, Salvador, Honduras and Costa Soloists.

Rica had accepted the invitation to join in a convention of American republics, with a view of unifying them.

May Nominate an Arbitratur. BERNE, Feb. 5.—The Swiss federal council has decided that the president of the confederation may nominate an between Great Britain and America in Store.

The sale of seats will open Thursday morning. Fab. 6, at 8 o'clock, at the Opera House Drugs Store. tween the governments of those coun-

WITH THE POETS.

The Woodpecker.

When, on the southern slopes, The drifts grow thin, And buds, like lovers' hopes, To swell begin, This truant comes And drums

The springtime in He marshals out the May

For June to reign, Filling the blittle blue day With sharp refrain, For lo! he knows The rose Is queen again.

And when with golden mists And when with golden mists
Is hazed the sun,
And lovers' moonlight trysts
In dales are done,
He sounds his call
To fall—
A ringing one!

When seres the lone last leaf
Upon its stem,
And barren days and brief
Our vision hem,
Then to the year
We hear

His requiem.

-Clinton Scollard, in Youth's Compan-

In the Way He Should Go. Give me a kiss," she pleading said.

He heard, unmoved, her warm sweet

suing.
Although to her he was not wed,
Nor had he even come a-wooing.

"Give me a kiss." Her lips in shape
To tempt a saint, did thus beseech him.
While he seemed planning an escape
To some place where she could not reach

"Give me a kiss, just one—I pray."
Her fond insistence ill did serve her.
He looked askance and moved away.
Scared and disgusted with her fervor.

"Give me a kiss." Each coaxing word
But helped anew to 'fright and pain him,
Because he was her brand-new bird.
And she was starting in to train him.
-Madeline S. Bridges, in Ladics' Home
Journal.

Beneath the Light.

A bit of rock, in a silent sea,
A lonely spot it seems to me;
And yet two hearts are beating there,
And happier hearts you'll find nowhere
Thanh this tower across the wave. Whose base the rippling waters lave.

A bit of rock, in an angry sea, An awful spot it seems to me; And yet yon tower, tempest tossed, A shelter makes, where all is lost Beside the confidence of love. In all on earth, and all above.

A bit of rock, and a light atop, Which flashes forth, as the shadow

drop:
The smallest place in the world it seems:
Yet full of hopes and full of dreams,
As any place more proudly blest;
For two, this tower-home is best.
-Walter F. Kendrick, in Boston Journal.

Alas, what does it all avail,
This striving, striving over,
To catch that fleeting bubble, fame?
'Tis fruitless, vain end avor.

For if you grasp the filmsy thing, It brings with joy its sorrow, It flutters, flames, then slowly wanes, And flickers out to-morrow.

It leaves the soul to starve and die, A prey to critics bitter: Brings tears and heartache at the best. Despite its magic glitter.

Oh, fame, fame! thou'rt a fleeting thing.
A rose tint in the sky.
A flash, a glint, a fading sheen,
And passed forever by.
Penelope Gleason-Knapp, in Chicago

Inter Ocean.

Love the Old.

I love the old—to lean beside
The antique easy chan
And pass my fingers softly o'er
A wreath of silvered hair;
To press my glowing lips upon
The furrowed brow, and gaze
Within the sunken eye where dwells
The light of other days.

Yes, love the aged; bow before
The venerable form
So soon to seek beyond the sky
A shelter from the storm:
Ay, love them; let thy silent heart
With reverence unfold;
As pilgrims very near to Heaven,
Regard and love the old.
—Philadelphia Times.

Fulfilled.

He dwells secure in marble halls.

And wealthy, feels forsooth Slight sympathy for what he calls
Th' extravagance of youth.

I thought it but an idle phrase, When once I heard him say That if I didn't mend my vays I'd come to want some day.

I laughed; but, ah, the passing taunt At last has proven true: For I indeed have come to want— I want his dat wher Sue. J. R. Parker, in Detroit Free Press

THE total tax of Atlanta township this year foots up \$20,412.28.

About the Eye.

lucination that he was a candidate for mayor.

—Matthew Bollinger, of Chicago, suspected Fred Mueller of violating his home, and, disguising himself in women's clothes, lay in wait at his doorway and shot George Belwo, a teamster, residing in the same house, through the heart, killing him instantly.

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WANTED—Office partner, lawyer preferred. On hand \$400, \$500, \$800 and \$1,000 to \$5,000 to loan on city or farm property. Residence lot cheapfor cash on North Water

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M chinery, live stock, household goods or good
personal security Houses rented, rents and
accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 149 N. Water
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stairway north of Brunswick hotel. febis-dtf

Or at Least Hurried the Ex-Presiden into Writing and Making It Public at This Time-Saw Danger to the Party in the State.

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 5.—Some inter esting inside information regarding the immediate cause of Mr. Harrison's determination not to be a candidate came to the surface yesterday in statements of his friends, and there seems now to be no doubt but the fac tional fight between John K. Gowdy and E H. Nebecker for the party chairman hip hurried the ex-president into writing the letter, if it did not cause him to determine to retire from the presidential field.

During the contest between Ne

becker and Gowdy the friends of the former constantly obtruded Harrison into the fight, saying that he was for Nebecker, and by combining the exfederal office holders against Gowdy, gave color to the statement.

Mr. Cowdy declared that Mr. Harri son was taking no part in the contest, but when his personal friends and exappointees were all for Nebecker, it was believed that Gowdy was trying to hide the ex-president's hand in the contest. It is certain that the great majority of Harrison's friends were opposed to Gowdy, and wherever it was possible to make capital out of the fact they declared that Harrison was in favor of Nebecker. The bitterness engendered between

the friends of the two aspirants for the chairmanship was made to extend to Harrison, and it is said that he saw in the attitude of the factions not only danger to the party in the state, but to unanimous action in support of him for the presidency. It has now been decided that the

party machinery will make no effort to control the district conventions, which will meet March 7 to select national delegates, 26 to be chosen in the 13 districts, leaving four at large to be named by the state convention. GEN. HARRISON'S WITHDRAWAL

Opinions as to its Effect Upon Other Candidates' Prospects

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.-Leading re publicaus of the house, who have been spoken to do not, as a rule, feel that Gen. Harrison's withdrawal from the presidential race will materially affect the prospects of the other candidates. The Ohio representatives, of course, believe that McKinley will secure the support of the Indiana delegation. This opinion is shared by epresentatives from other states. Other gentlemen believe that the Indelegation will divide its strength among the various candidates. The Indiana republicans—if the members of congress from that state fairly reflect the sentiments of their constitutes—while believing Gen. Harrison to be sincere, indulge the hope that an exigency may arise which may require the convention to nominate him.

Dr. L. Kittinger, a leading physician of Wilmington, Del., asked the proprietor of Brazilian Balm to send him a dollar bottle. A few weeks afterwards the doctor said: "I had a couple of cases of old Cough on hand that completely baffled me. I had got to the end of my string. But the Balm made a prompt cure in both cases. It is a remarkable remedy."

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THE Zion Lutheran church at Peoris was dedicated on Supday with appro-priate exercises. It is one of the lead-ing houses of worship in the lower portion or the city.

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used One Minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself." West's Drug Store.

Jacob Far, of Laomi, has bought 40 acree of land near Modesto, Macon county, at 845 per acre, and will move to

Ballard's Snow Liniment Will Cure Neuralg:a. It will also cure Lame Back, Sore Throat, Wounds, Sprains, Bruises, Cuts, old Sores. Ladies, it will eure your back ache. Sold by J. W Elchinger and C. F. Schilling.

THE body of Fred. Gressens, who was drowned in the Kankakee river at Kan kakee several days ago, has not been re-

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Tur city council of Tuscola has let contracts for the paving of twelve blocks of the business portion of the city.

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THE Trustpet is the name of a paper that has been established by the scholars of the Danville high school.

"GIVER me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of De Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Went's Drug Store.

THE Roy. F. A. McCarthy is holding a protracted meeting at Dillon.

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FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The propo-nition to open the mints of the United States to the free and unlimited coinage of silver was presented to the senate to-day for a second time by the WHICH LED TO ITS PROBULGATION ate to-day for a second time it comes forward as a substitute to the house tariff bill, just as on the former occasion it appeared as a substitute to the house bill. The chairman of the finance committee, Mr. Morrill (rep., Vt.), in making the report said that he had vote l against it in committee but would, nevertheless, ask the senate to-morrow to proceed to its consideration. OA resolution was offered by Mr. Quay (rep., Pa.) to recommit the report to the finance committee with instructions to report back the original bill and the substitute as separate propositions; but that resolution went over till to-morrow, owing to an objection on the part of Mr. Hill (dem., N. Y.) to its immediate consideration.

The proposition to amend the rules of the senate by distributing the appropriating bills among the several committees having charge of the branch of the service to which they apply occupied the senate during the remainder of the day's session. By a vote of 25 to 44 the senate refused to take up the urgent deficiency bill, and by a vote of 40 to 25 it decided to take up Mr. Dubois' (rep , Idaho) resolution to amend the rules.

The resolution was discussed until 5:30, when it went over without action, the senate adjourning until to-mor-

Immediately on the opening of the session of the house to-day, Mr. Dingley (rep , Me.). chairman of the committee on ways and means, reported, with a recommendation that he house do not concur in the senate substitute therefor the bill passed in December, authorizing the issue of bonds to protect the gold reserve and to provide against temporary deficiencies in the revenue.

Mr. Crisp (dem., Ga.) stated that the report was not an unanimous onethat the minority of the committee urged the house to accept the senate's free coinage substitute.

Mr. Dingly gave notice that, at the close of the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill, he would ask the house to take up the the committees report. By unanimous consent, a number of

measures were considered and passed, among them a house bill authorizing the appointment of commissioners to treat with the Shoshone, Arapahoe and Bannock Indians in Montana and Idaho for the surrender of any rights claimed by them under treaties with the United States to hunt upon unoccupied public land. This bill grew out of the outbreak at Jackson's Hole, last summer. The rest of the day until 4:55 o'clock

was spent in further consideration of the District of Columbia appropria-tions. The debate continued upon the question whether or not public funds should be appropriated for charitable purposes to be expended by private and sectarian institutions. The charge that the A. P. A. was influencing members to oppose such appropria-tions was made and at times some heat vas generated in the debate.

By its vote the house, in committee of the whole, indicated its purpose to ote no money to strictly sectarian institutions, and only to such other private institutions as would so amend their articles of incorporation as to permit government inspection and versight of the expenditures of public funds.

The consideration of the bill was completed in committee of the whole; but before a vote was taken the house adjourned until to-morrow.

THE BAYARD RESOLUTION

May Not be Called Up for Debate for Son

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.-Messrs. Dingley, chairman of the committee on ways and means, and Hitt, chairman of the committee on foreign affairs. had an informal conference yesterday upon the date at which the resolution ior Bayard for his Minburgh and Boston, England, speeches shall be considered in the house. It was decided that it would be best not to call it up until the calendar was clear of appropriation bills, unless in the event that for some now unforseen reason, it was deemed inadvisable to go on with the consideration of the appropriation measures. The resolution will be reported to the house and placed on the calendar within a day or two, but the debate upon it, which is expected to last two or three days, may not begin for some

KILLED BY CATTLE RUSTLERS.

A Prominent Lawyer and His Nine-Year-Old Boy Murdered on the Desert.

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 5.—Col. Albert . Fountain, of Les Crucas, N. M., one of the most prominent lawyers in this section, counsel for the New Mexico Cattle association, formerly colonel in the New Mexico cavalry and speaker of the territorial house of representa-tives, has been murdered together with his nine-year-old boy by cattle rustlers on the desert between Tutarous and Las Crucas. The cause assigned was his activity in prosecuting cattle thieves. Posses are now scour ing the country for traces of the mur-

The New Consul at Cape Town Practically WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.-It is understood that the president has practically selected the new consul at Cape Town, Cape Colony, a post that has become of considerable importance since the beginning of the Transvaal troubles. In order to make the position lucrative enough to allow the appointment of some man of standing, Secretary Olney has written a letter to the senate committee on appropriations asking that the salary be increased from \$2,000 to \$3,000 a year.



has sustained any damage. Notwithstanding the heavy storm tonight hundreds of people braved the elements and stood on Ocean avenue watching the boat move.

At midnight it was stated that if the St. Paul is not floated to-night she will go out with the next flood-tide, which occurs about noon to-morrow.

Ordered Favorably Reported. Washington, Feb. 4.—The nomination of Patrick S. Nagle, to be United

ing, but work was not relaxed.

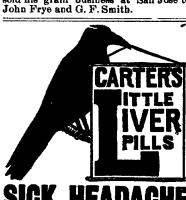
force, but it is not thought that she

States marshal of Oklahoma was ordered to be favorably reported by the senate judiciary committee yesterday. Contract Awarded. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.-The contract

tor constructing the iron and steel work of the St. Paul (Minn.) public building was yesterday awarded to A. H. Wolf, of Chicago, at \$25,504. REUBEN LACY, colored, shot and killed George Kelly, also colored, at Glenburn, near Danville, about 8 o'clock Saturday

M. R. Armington, of Delavan, has sold his grain business at San Jose to John Frye and G. F. Smith.

morning. They quarreled about a girl. The murderer escaped.



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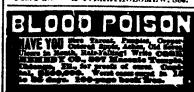
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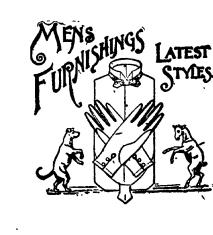
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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes and assessments, made in pursuance of law, by the county collector of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the north outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the 29th day of June, A. D., 1394, Mattes & Son wurchased the following described real estate, situate in said Macon county. Ten feet off the east side of lot 10, in block 1, of M. Forstmyer's addition to the City of Decatur, special assessment for paving West Decatur, special assessment for paving West Decatur, sireet in said city, for the taxes for the year 1893, including interest, penalities and costs due on the said described real estate, and that the certificate of purchase of the same was by said Mattes & Son assigned to me, and at the time the said described real estate was assessed as aloresaid it was laxed or assessed in the nam of Unknown, and that the time of redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 29th day of June, 1894.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the B. D. Bartholomew Co. will be held at their office in Decatur. It!. on the 17th day of February. 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p, m. for the election of officers and the sransaction of such other business as may be deemed necessary. Feb. 5-dio A. P. BARTHOLOMEW. Sec.



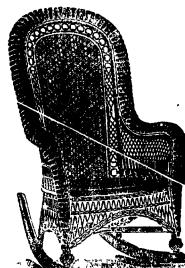


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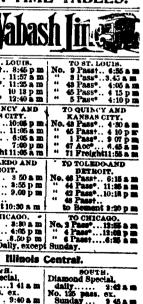
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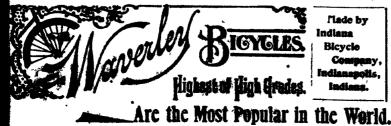
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NEWSPAPER WAIFS.

Speaking of Schomburgk, why not draw the line at the "k?"—Minneapolis The New Girl .- "Johanna, don't for-

get to dust the bric-a-brac." "No, ma'am. Where do you keep the dust?" Ho-"I'm afraid the coming woman

will swear." She-"Oh, no; she intends

to run things so well there won't be anything to swear at."—Chicago Rec-Murphy—"Finnegan, yez owe me wo dollars." Finnegan—"Oi know it—but Oi'm goin' to kape it as security for the

Pignosed Smith-"Wot do you think of that there scheme of bein' able to photograph a bullet in a man's body?" Rubberneck Bill-"Dunno, friend, dun-Wish we had one of them machines and a Chinaman to try it."-Indianap-

ago."--Truth.

At the Opera.-Duer-"It is almost impossible to get seats for the grand opera, and it is a rather poor company, oo. I don't understand it." Duell-"Well, the singers have such weak voices that they do not disturb the conversation."—Harlem Life.

"Every experience of your life, my riend," said the solemn-faced visitor at the jail, "is for you to make the right use of it. Utter no complaint. Bear your punishment in silence. things as you find them." "I allus do," said the dejected vagabond behind the "That's how I got here."-World's Comis.

THE LITTERATEURS.

Mrs. Julia Ward Howe will deliver a lecture in the spring in Syracuse, N. Y., on "Personal Reminiscences of the

Edmund Clarence Stedman, who is the author of the best critical work on the Victorian poets, says that Mr. Austin will do as poet laureate "during what may be called an interregnum."

Sardou is now 64 years old, wrinkled and half bald, but in his elastic step and brilliant eye as youthful as a boy. He is said to have carned \$1,000,000 from his plays. Yet his first play was a dire

Mme. Alphonse Daubet, wife of the famous novelist, has written an article describing the visit of herself and husband to London last year. Mme. Daubet views England through rose-colored spectacles. She admires everything there but the climate.

Robert Louis Stevenson's history of his own family will appear in the forthcoming edition of his works now being prepared in Edinburg. It ends with the great achievement of his grandfather's life in the building of the Bell Rock

Richard Henry Dana, Jr., best known is the author of "Two Years Before the Mast," also wrote the account of the Monroe doctrine which appears in Wheaton's "International Law." He was a lawyer of great ability, and in 1876 was nominated for minister to England, but the senate refused to con-

HINTS FOR THE HOME.

A dish a ter placed in a hot oven where pies, cakes or puddings are being baked will prevent them from scorch-

new by applying a coat of French polish with a camel's hair brush. If the places it is best to color the polish according to the color of the leather.

The skin of fruit should never be eaten, not because they are not palatable or digestible or are unhealthful in themselves, but on account of the danger arising from microbes, which may have ponetrated into the covering of the fruit.

People who are susceptible to the cold should make a point of wearing loose clothing in cold weather. Loose garments are always warmer than tightfitting ones, not only because they allow more room for circulation, but also because they permit a laver of air between the skin and the outside cold.

If you have butter that is not entirely sweet put it in a porcelain dish with a little salt and a tiny piece of soda, place over the fire and bring to a boil. Turn it into a stone jar and set it in a cool place. The butter will be found perfectly sweet and not too salt for cooking. The impurities will settle to the bottom of the jar.

GOSSIP OF THE STATES.

The people of Cincinnati are taking steps to creet a statue of Gen. Zebulon Pike, the discoverer of Pike's Peak. The most costly horse barn in the

world is at Syracuse, N. Y. It belongs to D. E. Crouse, and cost \$700,000. The natives of Alaska seldom change their clothes unless they are worn out.

They are considered the filthiest race of beings on the earth. " Of the national conventions of the two parties Baltimore has entertained ten and Chicago nine, Philadelphia

coming third with four. The governor's mansion in Frankfort, Ky., is the oldest building in the town. It was built 98 years ago, and has been occupied by 33 governors, including Mr. Bradley.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special tame and nown lots for state, county of Mac mand assessments, made as persuance of law, by the county collector of the county of Mac mand state of Illinois, at the north outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, is said county and state, on the 25th day or June. A. D. 1894, I. J. C. Rosteller, purchased the following described real setter strated in said Macon county: Lot 2 is Block 6 efforting's addition to the City of Decatur, for the taxes assessed for the year 1893, including special assessments and interest. By mattree and costs due on the 3-th described real estate, and at the time the said real estate was assessed as aforemand it was taxed o assessed as aforemand it was taxed o assessed as aforemand it was taxed o assessed as aforemand in the name of A. H. Baker, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 25th day of June, 1993

J. C. HOSTETLER.

REDEMPTION NOTICE.

William Langh-id and the owners and par ties interested in the lands or loss hereinafts described:

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You are hereby notified that at a safe of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes and assessments made in pursuance of law, by the county collecter of the county of blacon and state of lilinous, at the Borth outside door of the court house, in the city of Decetur, in said county and state, on the 28th day of June. A. D 1884, I. J. C. Hoststler, purchased the following described real estate, situated in said Macon county: Lot 5 in Block 3 of Plant and Tukile's addition to the City of De atur, for the taxes assessment and interest, penalities and county in the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption thereof from eaid sale will expire on the 28th day of June. 1866.

J. C. HOSTEILER.

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You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots forstate, county and special taxes and assessments, made in pursuance of law, by the county officator of the county of Macon and and state of lilinous, at the sorth outside door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the 4th day of Jane, A. D. 1994, I. J. C. Hostetler, purchased the following described real estate, situated in said Macon county: Lot II in Blong 8 of Montromery & Shall's 2nd addition to the City of Decatur, for the taxes assessed for the year 1893, including special assessments and interest, penalties and costs due on the said described real estate, and special assessments and interest, penalties and costs due on the said described real estate, and at the time the said described real estate was assessed as aforesaid it was taxed or assessed as aforesaid in the name of R. F. Wilson, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said the time of the redemption thereof from said will expire on the 29th day of June, 1885.

J. C. HOSTETLER.

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To F. M. Vesch and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:
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J. C. HOSTETLE.

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J. C. HOSTETLER

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To Jane Erisman and the owners and parties in-terested in the lands or lots hereinafter de-

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county and state, on the 28th day of June A. D.
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county: Lot 9 in block t of Robinson's addition
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J. C. HOSTETLER.

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Fo A. M. Reeves and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes and assessments, made us pursuance of law, by the county collector of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the north contisted door of the courty and state, on the 28th day of June, 1898.

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To L. Fealer and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

"You are hereby motified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, or like 19th day of June, 1898.

"To county and state, on the 28th day of June, 1898.

"To L. Fealer and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter described:

"You are hereby motified that at a sale of lands of lands and state, on the 28th day of June, 1898.

"To county collector of the county of Macon and that the and described real estate and at the time of law, in the cuty of Decatur, for the taxes assessed as an or seal of lands in parename of law, by the county collector and two many of the county of Macon and state of I linois, at the north outside door of the county and state, on the 28th day of June and the county and state, on the 28th day of June and the county and state, on the case of law, by the county and state, on the county of Macon and state of I linois, at the north outside door of the county and state, on the case of law, by the county and state, on the county of Macon and state of I linois, at the north outside door of the county and state, on the case of the county of Macon and state of I linois, at the north outside door of the county and state, on the 28th day of June and the county of the county of Macon and state of I linois, at the north outside door of the county of

BOOKS were originally make a season and the parchments. Papyrus was used in Egypt. Vellum leaves were invented by Attalus. king of Pergamus, about 198 B. C. The most ancient are the Pentateuch of Moses and the poems of Homer and Moses and the total Moses and the Poems of Homer and Moses and Homer and Moses and Homer and Moses an



needs but one telling to know where to find them. If there's one sort of customer we like better than another it's a "particular" one. He's hard to suit the first time generally, but once pleased we get his constant pat ronage. Come around and be as cranky as you like-our. "good things" will put you in a good

Here are a Few of the Genuine Bargains in Good Things

We nave to Of	fer This Week
New York Buckwheat25c	Canned
Kidney Beans .25c Navy Beans .25c sh Rolled Oats .25c	Fancy Sugar corn,
h Rolled Oats25c	Solid Meat Tomator
Hominy25c ten Java Coffee per lb15c	California Fruits in 8
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Coffee per package19c	Gallon Pumpkin
	3 lb Pumpkin, 3 cans
TEAS.	Boston Baked Beans, 3 cans Good Peas for.

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10 boxes Gunpowder Tea, worth 60c per lb., now40
Our 80c Oolong Tea now 60
Best sun cured Japan Tes40 Fine Imperial, per 1635
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Sweet Oranges, few days only, by the peck......50c Oranges, perdozen......15c Fancy New Lemons, per dozen.....15c Orange Peel, regular price 30c, now. . 20c Shelbark Hickorynuts 5c qt., per pk., 30c

tches or Plums.

Goods.

3 cans best String Beans for25c A good 20c Salmon, per can......15c

DRIED FRUITS.

6 lbs. New Muscatel Raisins......25c 25 lbs......\$1.00 5 lbs. New Seedless Raisins......25c lbs. Good Dried Peaches......25c 3 lbs. Fancy Dried Peaches.......25c New California Prunes, 7c lb., 4 lbs. . 25c Extra large Raisin Dried Prunes, reg-ular price 15c lb., now.....10c New Figs, 3 lbs. for......25c

A First Class Meat Market in connection with store. Have your MEATS and GROCERIES deliv-

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REDEMPTION NOTICE. To Ann H. Shelley and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots hereinafter de-acribed:

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You are hereby notified that at a sele of lands and tewn lots for state county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, by the county collection of the county of Macon and state of lilinons, at the north outside door of the court house, in the city of Decarur in said county and state, on the 29th day of June, A. D 1894, I J. C. Hosterier, purchased the following described real estate, situate in said Macon county: Lot 8 in block 4 of Enterprise addition to the City of Decarur for the taxes assessed for the year 1893 including interest, penalities and coats due on the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption, the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption the county and the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption the said described real estate, and at the time of the redemption thereof from said said will expire on the 29th shellers, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said said will expire on the 29th shellers, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said said will expire on the 29th shellers, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said said will expire on the 29th shellers, and that the time of the redemption.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

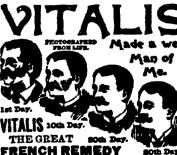
To L. Fester and the owners and parties interested in the lands or lots bereinafter described to a rehereby notified that at sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, rande in pursuance of law, by the county collector of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the north outside door of the court house, in the city of Picatur, in said county and state, on the 2th day of large A D 1824 1 74. There's a commencing at southwest or further that the former is a fourthern of professions. the city of Pecatur, in said county and state, on the 22th day of June. A. D. 1894 I. J. C. Hostetcer, purchased the following described real effects, situate in said Macon county: Lot 4 in block 7. I wan of Argenta fer the taxes assessed for the year 1803, including in erest, penalties and coste due on the said described real estate, and at the tune the said described real estate, and at the tune the said described real estate, and at the tune the said described real estate manne of L Fesler, and that the tune of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 23th day of June, 1850.

J C. HOSTETLES

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This 23d day of January, A. D. 1896.

J. P. NICHOLSON,
Jan 23-dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois,



We Will Offer

During the Entire Month of February



Dinner Sets

We have over 200 in stock yet, & Calkins'. and you can buy one now for LESS MONEY than ever before, and may never buy so cheap again.

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We still have a few of those 69 Cent Shoes left, sizes $2\frac{1}{2}$ and 3. Our entire stock of shoes will be sold right superintendents. down at bottom prices.

Seeing is believing. Come and be convinced.



B. F. BOBO, Manager.

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We find we have too many goods on hand, so we must reduce ou stock regardless of prices to make room for our spring stock.

Some Good Bargains.

Our New Department. We make Dresses of all kinds

Good Indigo Blue Calico at 5c. Men's Scarlet Underwear at 69c. \$1:00 18x36 Rugs cpt to 50c. Remnants of Carpets at 25c a yard. Fine Table Linen at 39c a yard. Ladies' Cashmere Hose at 19c a pair Men's Outing Flannel Shirts at 48c. Ladies' Fleeced Hose at 12½c a pair. Ladies' Fascinators, 25c, 35c, 50c. Lot of Muffs at Half Price. Ladies' Heavy Cloth Capes, \$5. Ladies' Beaver Jackets, \$5. Misses' Long Coats from \$2.50 up. Ready-made Skirts, \$3, \$3 50, \$4.50, \$5

We make Capes of any kind. We make Jackets of any kind. We make Plush Cloaks into Capes. We make Shirt Weists and Shirts of any kind at short notice. Best Ready-made Calico Wrappers with Ruffles on Shoulders at \$1. Black Sateen Wrappers at \$2. Fiannelette Wrappers at \$150.

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WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5, 1896.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

ADJES ASSEMBLY—Regular meeting of Ladies' Assembly No. 1, U. R. K. of P., at :30 o'clock (this) Wednesday at 'Mrs. Halm-sacher's, East Main street. Business of importance. Mrs. WEIGAND, Pres. Miss MAUD &CCUNE. Rec.

LOCAL NEWS.

Go to Grass. Wall Paper 4c. Box and Bulk Candies at Whitley's

CIGARS in all sized boxes at Whitley's. BOTTLE and bulk perfumes at Whit-

Underwear, Meap, at Smith &

Calking. Irwin's Harmless Headache powders are a sure cure.

E. & W. Collar and Cuffs at Smith

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth DR. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms 42 and 43, Fenton block. aug 24-dtf

JOHNNY WEIGAND still makes the mch25-dtf Leda 10 cent cigar. CUBANOLA is the finest 5c cigar. Sold only by I. N. Irwin & Co.

Go to the Spencer & Lehmancompany for wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Johnny Weigand, are the best in mar25-dtf DR. HATT'S "Cold Crackers" cures

cold in one night. 10 cts. at West's Drug Store. THE best remedy for coughs and colds

is Irwin's Rock Balsam.

J. M. Myers, manufacturer of Rubber Stamps, 301 S. Church St., Decatur, Ul.

What's the matter with you? Constipated? Cascarets will cure. Eat them like candy.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. AT 2:30 p. m. Thursday the W. C. T.

U. will receive reports of officers and TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR.

The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth. Go to Grass' fire sale. Easels and pictures slightly damaged by smoke, at 35c to 50c on the dollar. Terms, strictly cash. jan28 dlw

TRY DULUTH IMPERIAL FLOUR, The Best Spring Wheat Flour on Earth

THE Equal Suffrage association will meet with Mrs. M. J. Bixby, on West pages 68-80.

MAMA eats a Cascaret, baby gets the benefit. Cascarets make mother's milk mildly purgative.

HARRY COCHEAN, who is employed at Swinebold's planing mill, is recovering from a painful accident. Some days ago his left hand was badly cut and mashed in a saw. His tingers were almost severed. Dr. R. L. Walston sewed the fingers on and thinks that he will be able

to save hi: hand. USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

THE depot platform is a very disagreeab'e place in bad weather. After a rain or snow the water stands in pools about the platform so that it is almost impossible for persons to go any distance without getting their feet wet. Large holes have been bored in the boards so that the water is carried off. It is quite a relief to travelers who have to get off the train in bad weather.

REV. HARRY SMITH, who has preached at Dunlap, Ford county, for several years, has accepted a call at Golden, Colo., and will soon move to that place. The health of Mrs. Smith necessitated a

A. HAYES and H. Stratum, of Bement have bought 2000 acres of land in Ala-

CHRISMAN has a circulating library of

THE Forrest band has been reorganized and will give a concert about the

T. Talbor has purchased the John Scharloch residence in Fairbury for

Mr. and Mrs. W. Finley, of Fairbury, nave returned from a visit in California. Wm. Gartzkee, of Strawn, will follow farming this year at Iona Lake, Minn. J. A. GIDDEL, of Maros, has rented a farm near Rockwell City, Iowa.

SEEING THROUGH THINGS.

Harry Bumstead, a Decatur Boy. Dr. S. J. Bumstead has received some splended and interesting proofs of photographs taken by his son, Harry, mstruc

tor in physics at Yale. The photographs were taken by the Roeutger process of photographing through certain opaque substances, showing objects inside of them. These negatives show a pipe photographed through its case, a pair of Particulars of the Fatality-Train Runspectacies photographed through a leather case, a key taken through a box in which it was enclosed and a small key and charm photographed through a pasteboard box, but the most interesting of all are the photographs of a frog and a mouse which plainly show the bones in both animals. This, new process in photography is a marvelous thing and beyond the comprehension of ordihary mortals, and must become very useful for scientific purposes. By it forbody, as, for example, a bullet, and it may be that internal abscesses may be thus located, all of which will be a great aid to surgery. Harry Bumstead is making a study of the new process, and indeed be a surgery of the surgery of the surgery. Harry Bumstead is proached Carpenter Hill and the through train was discovered. It was long, U. M. Johnson. Membership—F. K. Pennington, A W. Res, C. C. Curtis.

Executive Committee—J. S. Bicknell, J. P. Eckels, J. E. Saxton.

A New Windmitt.

F. R. Good. who came here from Vincentee and the through train was discovered. It was indeed by the control of the co judged by the specimens he has sent in, is having good success.

COMING TO SEE US

In a few days Charles Corneli and 1

Representatives of the Indiana Tin Plat

L. Morris, chief officials of the tinplate manufacturing company in Indiana whose extensive plant may be located in Decatur, will visit our city, and personally investigate the advantages of this point so glowingly pictured by David Samuels in his report to the company.

Mr. Samuels has been instructed to obtain figures on brick and other materials, so that the visitors may be fully informed as to all minor details when

they arrive. The company have received a detailed estimate of building the plant in an Indiana town. It is \$78,000. The plant

can be built in Decatur for less. Parke Hammer was reported in ar improved condition to-day. He experi enced a change for the better early this morning, and became conscious. He

PERSONAL MENTION.

partook of nourishment.

William Traver has gone to Marshalltown, Iowa Miss Mabel Roberts is ill at her home

Mrs. J. L. Arnold and daughter have

returned from Springfield. O. D. Ferguson, of Chicago, is city visiting H. C. Burks.

F. P. Roddy arrived home to day from Hamilton where he visited friends

Charles F. Armstrong was at Monti cello yesterday on a business trip. John L. Wheeler has returned from

visit with relatives in Edgar county. W. F. Neisler arrived home yesterday from Sullivan, where he went on a busi

Officer W H. Horton went to Lintner to day to visit he mother, who is 93 years of age.

ness trip.

Charles Pratt, who has been attending chool at Lake Forest, is expected home in a few days.

Mrs. Catherine Thayer, of Farmer

City, arrived here to-day to visit her niece, Mrs. B. F. Bobo. Miss Anna Butler will leave to-night for Kentucky, where she will visit friends for several weeks.

Bessie Culver, daughter of J. H Culver, as seriously ill at the family home on North Edward street.

Mrs. W. J. Jenkins, of Pana, city visiting friends. She will leave to norrow for Derver, Colorado.

Frank Caldwell, who has been fined to his home by illness, was able to be out for the first time yesterday.

Mrs. Taylor Milroy, after a visit with John Quinlan and family, will leave to night for her home in Wausau, Wis. Mrs. C. E. Head entertained the mem-

ers of the East End Euchre club last evening at her home on East Eldorado Dr. J. D. Moore and wife, who are vis-

ting in Toledo, O., are expected home soon. On their return they will take apartments at the residence of Mrs. M. W. Schultz on West William street.

from the south, apparently very much improved in health. He was in the circuit court this morning attending to legal'business.

Dr. Sarah Hacket Stevenson, of Chi cago, who will speak this evening at the Woman's club, is expected here at 4 o clock this afternoon. She will be the guest of Mrs. Philbrook on Prairie

Misses Grace and Corinne Shellabarger, who have been visiting in Thicago, have arrived home. They were accompanied by Misses Emily and Susanna Rave, of Evanston, who will be their guests for a few weeks.

THERE will be work in the Rank of Page and Rank of Esquire as the meetiug of Coeur de Leon Ledge, No. 17, Knights of Pythias, to-morrow night his home in this city, but now lives at 100 volumes. Membership costs \$3 per A full attendance of the membership is Litchfield. particularly desired

Bronchitis.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup absolutely cures Bronchitis and all other diseases of the Throat and Lungs. It gives intant shef and will cure the worst cough. It is a guarant of remedy. Sold by J. It is a guarant, al remedy. Sold W. Eichinger and C. F. Shilling.

The new cattle barns which were lately built at the American distillery at Pekin are now filled with cattle.

F. J. YATES, of Rantoul, has bought 160 acres at Walnut, Ill., and will re-

WABASH WRECK.

C. Frank Hoff, of Decatur, Killed, and Two Other Men Badly Hurt.

BODY OF FIREMAN BROUGHT HERE,

ing Ahead of Time-Father of Hoff Comes to the City from Maroa.

EDWARDSVILLE, Ill., Feb. 5—A headend collision between two freight trains end collision between two freight trains on the Wabash railroad occurred six miles east of here between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Fireman Charles Hoff, of Decatur, was killed; Engineer I, H. Hardgrave has a leg broken in two places, and John Moy, by keman has a saverily gushed thigh. brakeman, has a severely crushed thigh.
The eastbound local freight, No. 70,

through train was discovered. It was then too late to jump. All those on the through train jumped and escaped un-

piled up as high as telegraph poles. The blame for the accident seems to rest on by Carpenter instead of taking the

The news of the wreck was received in Decatur soon after 3 o'clock, when the wreck train and crew. The crew Carpenter, a distance of nearly 100 miles. company or start a stock company. He trains could get past Carpenter for Decatur until a late hour.

It was known, however, that C. Frank Hoff, the fireman on the local freight, had been killed. His wife resides on Loafland avenue, and the Wabash officials sent a messenger to the house to give her the sad news. The mother of the deceased fireman, Mrs. Cornelius Hoff, of Maroa, who was in the city on a visit, was at the house, and she too received the first information of the fatality. The announcement prostrated both women. They remained at home and passed an anxious night, waiting for the arrival of the body which was hourly expected.

Cornelius Hoff, of Maron, father of the young man, came down from Maroa ast evening, accompanied by his brother Constable David Hoff. Both men were at the Wabash telegraph office last night and got all the information they could rom Edwardsville and Carpenter. Both felt very badly, but could do nothing mained because they didn't have enough

The deceased was an extra fireman on the road. I've regular fireman laid off two days ago, and Hoff took his place only to meet his death in the wreck. Hoff was aged 33 years. His first wife and a son reside at Clinton. It has been stated that the deceased was a member of a lodge of the Knights of Pythias. this city. It is not true. He has not been a member of the lodge in question for six or eight years.

ARRIVAL OF BODY-TAKEN TO MARGA The body of Charles Hoff was brought to this city this morning and was taken W. A. Holman, W. H. Grındol, M F to Maros on the Illinois Central train. Mrs. Hoff, the wife of the deceased, accompanied by her sister, Miss Davidson. and two of her lady friends, were at the depot awaiting the arrival of the body. Cornelius Hoff, father of the deceased. and Undertaker Rammel, of Maron, came to the city to meet the body. Mrs. Hoff lives on East Leafland avenue, any to her home for a few hours. The undertaker, however, insisted that all the arrangements had been made and that tral train she submitted and accompa- son. nied the body to Maroa.

The funeral will be held at Marogat here to attend the funeral.

that J. W. Hardgrove, the engineer, was ent. not dangerously injured. He suffered several bad fractures, but it is thought that his condition is such that he will recover. He is a member of Home Forum, of this city. He formerly made

SMITH & Calkins, Haberdashers. [5-d6 ting.

Y. M. C. A. COMMITTEES.

Mail Carriers in a Body Become

Last night was held a meeting of the Board of Directors fof the Young Men's Christian Association. new members were admitted:

C. L. Boyer, Willis Sampson, C. W. Rolofson, L. E. Rodgers, A. M. Taylor, R. G. Peck, Elmer Hershey, H. E. Cloud John W. Stough, Camer Doty, F B Meade, W. B. Siewers, A. H. Beck, R J. Sanderson, B. W. Nickens, N. O. Master son, F. C. Stoewsand, William Donovan. C. O. Faught.

The standing committees were ap pointed as follows:

pointed as follows:
Finance—W. C. Outten, E. P. Irving
D. A. Strader, F. K. Pennington, W. J.
Huff, J. S. Bicknell.
Religious Work—Jesse L. Deck, C. C.
Barnard, W. M. Yantis, D. A. Strader,
Reception—W. W. Dawsou, J. E. Wil
lis, A. F. Gay.
Invitation—U. G. Deakins, Alvah W.

tisher. Oklahoma, is exhibiting a new style windmill which he has invented. The injured and dead were brought here, and Coroner Kinder held an inquest last night. The engines of both trains were demplished and box cars are head differs from other makes in several respects. The pitman is so made that it the engineer of the through train. The conductor observed that he was running the pitman wheel, making it pump one-half more water than any other by Carpener.

siding. He and the brakeman signated repeatedly, and the engineer finally saw the signals and put on brakes. The train was slowing up when the Carpentari water in light winds where other mills ter Hill curve was reached and the column will not work at al. The construction of the millhead is simple and can easily He and the brakeman signaled mill in a given length of time and be put together. It weighs 246 pounds, which is claimed to be fifty pounds lighter than any other millhead, thus Mr. Needham started for the scene with making less weight on the tower and being less liable to blow over in a wind was got together in a hurry and no time storm, Mr. Good says that he will put the was lost in starting on the journey to mill in the hand of some manufacturing But meager particulars of the accident is a nephew of Reuben Betzer, of this could be obtained last night, because all city, and formerly lived here. He exthe reports went to Litchfield, and no pects to make his home in Decatur

Joined the Boycott.

Charles Pratt, who has been attend ing the Lake Forest University, arrived home yesterday. The students at the school have been having considerable trouble in the past few days. Last Monday the faculty suspended four of the students. Three of these young men were favorites among their classmates, and a committee representing the other students waited upon President Smith and declared that unless the suspended boys were taken back they would all leave. The faculty refused to retrace the steps taken, so about thirty of the students left at once. The balance of the students decided that they would visit their homes and await developmenta. Charles Pratt left the school yesterday, and he says that when he left the school had not more than a dozen of the original students, and they only remoney to pay their railroad fare home.

Funeral of J. Y. Braden. The funeral of J. Y. Braden was held this morning at 10 o'clock from his late residence north of the city. The services were conducted by Dr. E. W. Moore. The members of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. and A. M., met the funeral procession as it passed the Masonic Temple and escorted the remains to Greenwood cometery, where the burial took place. The Masonic ritual service was observed at the grave. The nall bearers were N. L. Krone, J. E. Smith. Metz and W. J. Magee.

Call from Omaha.

The First M. E. church of Omaha, Neb., has written to Rev. D. F. Howe in regard to taking the pulpit there made vacant by Rev. Frank Crane going to Chicago. Three years ago the same church made an effort to secure Mr. it was her wish that the body be taken Howe for pastor. He has the matter un der consideration.

A Dinner Party.

Dr. Sarah Hackett' Stevenson, who is it would be impossible to detain the is here to lecture at the Woman's Club, Attorney I. D. Walker has returned body here. He said that if Mrs. Hoff is being entertained this afternoon by would go to Maroa she would be cared Mrs. Philbrook at her home on Prairie for till after the funeral. She nefused avenue. At 5 o'clock this evening Mrs. to go but when the body was taken of Philbrook will give a dinner party to a the Wabash train and put on the Con. Isw lady friends in honor of Dr. Steven

> Tuesday evening R. F. Davidson en-10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning. At tertained the members of his Sunday number of railroad men will go from school class of Grace Methodist church at his home, 1130 North Edward street. It was reported here this morning About a dozen young ladies were pres-

> > A. F. Hopkins to G. S. Simpson, tract in Fearn & Brueck's addition; also tract in Barnes' subdivision—91,700.

At 915 East Marietta street, Feb. 4,3Mrs. Anna Baind, aged 66 years. The funeral took place this afternoon from the n Tabernacie, Rev. Geo. F. Hall officia-

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CINCENNATI, Feb 6.-was arrested last night. of the murder of Pearl l morning. He has confi and implicates Alcha Walling has also confess edge of the murder of tries to lay the entire bla but Jackson, while adm guilt, makes Walling par The satchel which the m brought here Jan. 29th, in it was shown him, but quite admit that the he dered girl had been in looked as if it had been t Jackson said he was fainting spells and afte away he would become of that condition did not was doing. When a b olis, he said, he someti spell said wandered aro

not knowing what he ha In his confession Jack tails of the crime. Whe that the girl was murder knew of it he intimate party committed the crim mate, Walling, confessed edge of the crime but of tween. No doubt Jackson pal and William Wood South Bend and now en deeply implicated. Lett from Wood to Jackson, su Nearly all of Wood's let girl are in passession of the of them are unfit to pu saye Wood is responsible an's ruin. She arrived Tuesday night, Jan. 28. a Indiana house. At her Belli notflied Jackson. she came here to have an formed and implies that cured it. He admits a during an attempt to per-tion. Neither man is statements as to where crime was committed, by that it was last Friday n

ANOTHER AR

in the Bryan M South BEND, Ind., Feb. of Greencastle, Ind., wanight. He is charged wi cated in the murder of near Fort Thomas, Ky. Cincinnati this morning It is alleged that he put train at Greencastle.

The Tuberculin SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. Trumbower, state veteris made his report of the made on thirty-eight milby Dr. H. B. Stehman, o Page county. The test him, assisted by Chairm the State Live Stock Con ary 21 and 22. The here of Holsteins, Ayershires and the test was applied herd. Out of the th herd. Out of the the showed symptoms of tu-the test, and upon post-nation the four were four affected with the disce veterinarian regards the satisfactory as showing t tuberculin test, for as presence of tuberculosis.

issue a special bulletin count of the test in detail Lincoln, Neb., Februs Jonathan Crowe, a stock on a drover's pass issued Pacific from Ord, Neb., to in charge of cattle. I wrecked and Crowe was tives brought suit, and the preme court to-day rev cision, on the ground tha by issuing Crowe the pas from liability. The case

Weather To-Night as CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—III cloudy to night; colder

erly winds. erly winds.

Iowa: Snow, colder to colder, fair, winds shiftin Wisconsin: Partly clonight; Friday, northerly Bouth Dkaota: Fair, c Friday, northerly winds.

Nebraska: Snow flurrisht: Friday colder for the colder for

night; Friday colder, forwinds. Gon. Martin's Can CRETEALIA, Ill., Februs litical friends of Gen. J. S all parts of Southern Illis ferance with that gentles night to commence sectors ference with that genue night to compare notes at further push his fight for can nomination for gover-sult was gratifying to Ge

John Bull Gives New York, Feb. 6.—TI Janeira special cays the l ter has received a dispute to recognise the sovereig the Island of Trinidad. that Brazil will permit G

establish a big coaking island and land a cable